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THREE NEUTRAL SHIPS

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from Feb. 1 to 9 Inclusive
Is Said To Be 89

TWO U. S. VESSELS SAIL

BULLETIN

NEWPORT, Va., Feb. 10.—The British Steamer Japanese Prince reported sunk on board twenty-five white American muleteers according to the British vice-consul here. The steamer carried a mixed cargo of horses and general cargo. The muleteers signed on at this port.

The Japanese Prince was commanded by Captain Jenkins, and besides the twenty-five Americans carried a crew of fifty men. Her cargo, besides 400 horses, consisted of grain and steel billets. Her shipping agents could not say tonight whether the Japanese Prince had reached Southampton and was bound back. If on a return voyage, they said, the American cattleman would not have been on board as it is the practice to send these men back on passenger ships.

The heaviest of the German submarine campaign from reports received Saturday increased the total loss of tonnage by 22,277 tons. Four British and three Norwegian steamers are the latest victims of the U-boat blockade measures. The British tonnage totaled 15,795 tons and the Norwegian 6,482 tons.

The British Steamers lost were the Mantola, Lullington, Beechtree and Japanese Prince. The Norwegian steamers sunk were the Solihakken, Ellavore and Havgard.

The largest in tonnage was the Mantola, which measured 6,826 tons and the smallest was the Havgard of 1,100 tons.

Sink 89 in Nine Days

The total number of vessels destroyed in the period of U-boat operations of February 1 to 9 inclusive is said to be 89 of which 21 were neutral vessels. During that period it is stated, more than 1,100 vessels arrived at or sailed from ports of the United Kingdom. Two American vessels, the Rochester and Orleans, left New York on Saturday for Bordeaux. Neither of them was painted with red and white stripes as the German government had prescribed. The American line announced that none of the company's ships would be sent across the Atlantic unless the United States government provided convoys or guns and gunners to protect the vessels.

British forces retain their hold on the new positions east of Salis-Saillies, on the Somme front in France, despite German attacks. The latest offensive movement of the Germans was preceded by a heavy artillery bombardment but the British maintained their line successfully. Artillery activity has been marked north of the Somme and along the Meuse in the Verdun sector.

Lloyds Announces Sinking

London, Feb. 10.—The sinking of the British steamer Japanese Prince of 4,386 tons, and the torpedoing of the Norwegian Steamer Ellavore of 2,760 tons, was announced tonight by Lloyds. The captain of the Ellavore has been landed but the mates and eleven members of the crew are missing.

The agency confirms the reported torpedoing of the British Steamer Beechtree, the crew of which has been landed.

The Norwegian Steamer Havgard of 1,100 tons, has also been sunk.

The British Steamer Japanese Prince, owned by the Prince Line of New Castle, left Newport News on January 24 for Southampton. She was 294 feet long and was built in Sunderland in 1911. The Norwegian Steamer Ellavore was last reported as leaving Barcelona on Jan. 13 for Naples. She was owned in Farsund and built in New Castle in 1889. She was 322 feet long.

The Norwegian Steamer Havgard according to latest reports arrived in Lisbon, Dec. 31, from Cardiff.

WEATHER INDICATIONS

AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois: Fair Sunday and Monday except unsettled in extreme south portion Sunday; rising temperature in north portion Monday.

Temperatures
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Saturday were:

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| Jacksonville | 18 | 27 | 13 |
| Boston | 14 | 16 | 10 |
| Buffalo | 6 | 8 | -4 |
| New York | 20 | 24 | 8 |
| New Orleans | 58 | 62 | 42 |
| Chicago | 7 | 14 | 1 |
| Detroit | 8 | 12 | 0 |
| Omaha | 16 | 20 | 10 |
| St. Paul | -6 | -6 | -10 |
| Helena | 30 | 30 | 22 |
| San Francisco | 48 | 56 | 44 |
| Winnipeg | -14 | -6 | -18 |

ARRANGE TO APPEAL

T. J. MOONEY'S CASE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Attorneys for Thomas J. Mooney, convicted last night of first degree murder for his connection with the bomb explosion here last July during a preparedness parade when ten persons met their deaths, arranged today for appealing from the verdict which carries the extreme penalty for their client. W. Bourke Cockran, the New York attorney, who was Mooney's chief of counsel, will remain here until the appeal is perfected.

AMBASSADOR FLETCHER

LEAVES FOR MEXICO

Will Enter Southern Republic
At Laredo, Texas

New Envoy, Accompanied by Capt. Frank R. McCoy, Military Attache of the Embassy, Should Reach Queretaro Thursday.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Henry P. Fletcher left here tonight for Mexico to present his credentials as American ambassador. Accompanied by Captain Frank R. McCoy, military attache of the embassy, he will enter Mexico at Laredo, traveling to Queretaro, the country's new capital, over the National railway. The original plan for him to go by way of Vera Cruz was abandoned because of the presence of rebels along the coast, but rebel operations north of Monterey and south of San Luis Potosi since have been reported and some officials here are doubtful whether an uninterrupted trip can be made over the route chosen.

Ambassador Fletcher should reach Queretaro Thursday. Ramon de Negri in charge of Mexican embassy notified his government tonight of the departure of the new representative and advised that he be met at the border by a representative of the foreign office.

Official and unofficial advices continue to indicate growth of the anti-government movement in Mexico. Although the active forces are those headed by Villa, Zapata and a few others less widely known, some officials are convinced there is a considerable support being given those in the field by a large group of men in the United States and Europe. Dr. Vasquez Gomez, of Francisco Madero's cabinet, now a resident of San Antonio, Texas, is heading a new movement whose slogan is "restoration of the constitution."

Charging that the present government has admitted its illegality by the repudiation of the constitution of 1857.

Information here indicates that Villa has in Chihuahua approximately 8,000 men.

Already he has occupied the greater part of the territory occupied by General Pershing, but officials do not believe he will contest the permanent possession of that field against Carranza's army when it appears.

LOWDEN REPRIEVES

ANDREW PEPPER

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Andrew Pepper, sentenced to be hanged on Feb. 23, received a reprieve of sixty days from Governor Lowden today. Pepper stabbed Christian Deubler to death in a quarrel over rent.

Judge Kersten who sentenced Pepper, recently ordered Count Hugo Silvestri, consul general here for Austria-Hungary from his court room because of Silvestri's alleged offensiveness in attempting to get a reprieve for Pepper.

PRESENT THREE WAR

REFERENDUM RESOLUTIONS

Washington, Feb. 10.—Three more war referendum resolutions similar to one introduced yesterday by Representative Callaway were presented in the house today by Representative Sherwood of Ohio, Bailey of Pennsylvania and Buchanan of Illinois. They all provide that there shall be no declaration of war without a referendum vote.

MORE THAN THREE HUNDRED

TRANSFER THEIR ALLEGIANCE

Chicago, Feb. 10.—More than 300 foreigners had transferred their allegiance to the United States by noon today. In the superior court and circuit courts the rush was continuous from 9 o'clock until 12, at times as many as 200 men being in line before the naturalization clerk's window.

BERLIN REPORTS AIR RAID

Berlin, Feb. 10.—via London.—An official statement issued today says: "Our naval airplanes Thursday night successfully dropped sixty bombs on the aerodrome at St. Pol, near Dunkirk and on Cuxide (east of Dunkirk). Several hits on the aerodrome were observed. All the airplanes returned undamaged."

GERARD FILES PROTEST

London, Feb. 10.—Ambassador Gerard says an Exchange Telegraph company despatch from The Hague sent to the German foreign office thru a neutral channel a formal protest against the cutting off of the embassy telephone by government order ten minutes after he had requested his passports.

Tape UP PORTO RICAN BILL

Washington, Feb. 10.—Responsive to the urgent desire of President Wilson that the Porto Rican citizenship bill be passed before March 4, the senate today laid aside the postoffice appropriation bill and got to work on the citizenship measure. It is expected to pass Monday.

ASKS APPROPRIATION

Washington, Feb. 10.—A \$300,000 appropriation to pay expenses of the newly created tariff commission for the next fiscal year, was requested of congress today by Secretary McAdoo.

LANSING SPEAKS AT

AMHURST ALUMNI FEAST

Asserts There is Always Hope
that Country May Be Spared

Secretary Declares It is not a Time to Speak, It is a Time to Think, to Think Earnestly and Deliberately.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Secretary Lansing, speaking at a banquet of Amhurst alumni here tonight said that although the United States undoubtedly was near the verge of war "there is always the hope that our country may be spared the terrible calamity of being forced into conflict."

Time of Anxiety for All

"It is a time," he said, "of anxiety for us all, a time of heavy responsibility for some of us. We are looking forward into the uncertainties of the future and we are striving to read what it holds in store for us and for our country. We can hardly close our eyes to the fact that we are standing near to the verge of the war which as for two and a half years waster the great empires of Europe and brought untold woes to mankind. Oughtn't the the system may seem there is always hope that our country may be spared the terrible calamity of being forced into the conflict. It is now as it has been from the beginning the wish and endeavor of this government to remain at peace with all the world if it can do so with honor."

"I cannot discuss here the supreme subject of American thought today, either to review the past or to prophesy for the future. It is not a time to speak, it is a time to think, to think earnestly and deliberately. It is a time for coolness and self-restraint, rather than for surrender to the natural impulses, which are aroused by great events affecting the national honor, the national duty and the national welfare of our country."

Nation Can Trust Wilson

"I can only say this, that with the same patience, the same forbearance, the same deliberation and care with which he has met the previous difficulties in our foreign affairs the president will meet the present crisis. The nation can trust him to act justly and honorably and fearlessly whatever may lie before him. In his hands the destiny of the United States is sure the national honor is safe."

The secretary took for his subject "college spirit."

The loyalty of a college man for his alma mater, he said, is a sentiment making for patriotism because it is one of the elements of national life not based on material interest or selfish motive.

"We should rejoice," he continued, "that in some things at least we can be sentimental in an age when the general disposition of men is to reduce everything to terms of utility and when the standard of excellence is sought in answering the question—'to what material use can it be put?' That question embodies to my mind the general tendency of modern thought toward the various phrases of the relationship of man to man and of man to society."

Have Been Growing Utilitarian

"The American people—and I think they are not different from other peoples—have been growing more and more utilitarian in these latter years, their thoughts and acts more and more influenced by what is called the practical and less and less by what is called the ideal. Immediate and tangible benefit is their apparent goal of American effort."

"It is indeed a comment on the American people that not a few thinking men have been asking with serious concern:

"Have American eyes grown dim to the achievements of the past? Has the blood of patriotism ceased to throb in American veins? Have we forgotten that our heritage of liberty was sealed with the lives of devoted men and that it is a sacred trust which we must hold and transmit unimpaired to the generations to come?"

No Change in Guard System

The bill provides no organization after the troops leave training, but the president is given wide latitude in this regard. No changes in the present national guard system are provided. Training would be in military districts comprising single states or groups of small states and the establishment by lease or purchase of training sanctuaries in each district is directed. Regional and medical examining boards for each division or sub-division also would be appointed by the president, the word of the latter as to physical fitness to be final, while action of the registration boards on exemptions could be appealed to the federal district courts. The youths liable for training would be required to report themselves or to be reported by parents or guardians.

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REPORT UNIVERSAL

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Disagrees With Staff

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STAFF BILL ABOUT READY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The senate military committee reported favorably today a bill framed by a sub-committee creating a military and naval citizen force based on universal training and service. While the committee report does not indicate any belief that congress will act on the measure at this session the bill brings to a definite head the universal service discussion of the last few months. The bill requires six months training without pay for all youths during their nineteenth year. Exemptions are confined to the members of the regular army and navy, those physically unfit, those who are the sole support of dependent relatives and those affiliated with religious creeds which forbid them to bear arms. The latter class are liable, however, for training in the non-combatant branches of the army.

World Train 500,000 a Year

It is estimated the bill would provide for the training of 500,000 boys annually, each of whom would be furnished into a reserve for nine years after his training period. With allowances for shrinkage of classes due to various causes as the years pass, this plan would give a total force of 3,165,000 men who had had six months training, at the end of the first nine year cycle, all subject to call for service only in the event of a "defensive war" or the imminence thereof.

The bill disagrees with the theory of the army general staff as to the amount of training necessary to make a soldier fit to go on the battle lines although it contemplates about the total strength proposed by staff officers. A year of intensive instruction has been declared by Major General Scott, the chief of staff, to be the minimum of safety for the training of even defensive soldiers. A universal training bill carrying the endorsement of virtually the entire membership of the general staff and based on a year's training, is almost ready for final submission to Secretary Baker and the president. Neither official has committed himself on the principle of universal training.

Fixes Training as a Duty

The committee measure, which is based on that prepared by Major Moseley, formerly of the army general staff, fixes military training as a duty of citizenship, denying naturalization until such training has been at least begun or employment secured.

For nine years, or until he has passed his 28th year, each reservist would be required to report in person annually to the registration authorities of his military district. In case of war the youngest classes would be called first. After his 28th year a reservist would pass into the great body of unorganized militia, subject only to the general laws.

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MAY INDICT MAKERS

OF NEWSPRINT PAPER

Federal Grand Jury in New
York Taking Testimony

Investigation Uncovered Enough Evidence to Warrant Department of Justice Asking Indictments for Alleged Anti-Trust Law Violations.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Federal investigation of the newsprint situation has uncovered enough evidence, it was made known today, to warrant the department of justice asking indictments of paper manufacturers for alleged anti-trust law violations. Already it was learned a federal grand jury in New York is taking testimony to determine if there has been a criminal conspiracy in restraint of trade. Bainbridge Colby and Mark Hyman have been retained as special assistants to the attorney general to aid in the inquiry. The federal trade commission, which has furnished much of the information on which the department of justice is taking action announced today that Francis J. Heney of California had been engaged as a special attorney in the commission's inquiry into high newsprint prices, and that under his direction the commission would continue its investigation after a preliminary report is made to congress early next week.

Additional data will be supplied to the department as fast as it is obtained.

The report to congress which was to have been made Monday, probably will be delayed for some days because of the illness of one of the commissioners. It will be in the nature of an interim report and will cover the efforts of the commission to find a solution for an apparent newsprint shortage and relief for publishers from almost prohibitive prices that have obtained for about a year.

The trade commission, it is understood, will report that it has found that increases in newsprint prices within the year are from four to twenty times the advance in production costs. It will say there never has been an actual newsprint shortage, and that manufacturers have helped create a panic among publishers by intimating that there was one.

SENATE COMMITTEE

APPROVES MEASURE

Will Report Special Rule to Expedite Emergency Amendment to Annual Naval Bill.

Washington, Feb. 10.—At a request from Secretary Daniels the house rules committee today receded from its determination not to report a special rule to expedite emergency amendments to the annual naval bill providing authority to commandeer ship yards and munitions plants and appropriating \$1,000,000 for purchase of the basic patents of aircraft.

The committee had a long conference with the secretary who pointed out that the necessity for prompt action on the proposals.

Under the rule later agreed to the amendments will be brought in immediately but authorization to draft the personnel of the commandeered plants into the naval establishment is eliminated, together with some other details which would have authorized sweeping change of policy as to hours of labor and other matters.

The committee adhered to its former decision not to provide for expediting the administration amendment for a \$150,000,000 bond issue to cover cost of quick delivery of ships and war supplies. It is understood that another method of securing the legislation will be undertaken by a bill emanating from another committee.

The naval bill will be up for a final vote on Tuesday under an agreement reached today.

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NAMES COMMISSION

TO INVESTIGATE VICE

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 10.—Mayor James Rolph today named a commission of twenty-five citizens to investigate vice conditions in San Francisco, the list including two former mayors of this city, four ministers and a rabbi and four women.

Creation of the commission followed action taken at a mass meeting several weeks ago as a culmination of vice-crusade undertaken by the Rev. Paul Smith, pastor of the Central Methodist Episcopal church who contended that women of the streets solicited men in the vicinity of his church.

TO INVESTIGATE CAUSE

OF RISING FOOD PRICES

Probe Will Be Started at Direction of President Wilson

Trade Commission Holds Conference With Agriculture Department Officials to Work Out Preliminary Plans—Make Wilson's Letter Public

Washington, Feb. 10.—At the direction of President Wilson the federal trade commission and the department of agriculture will begin an immediate investigation into the causes of advancing food prices with special reference to alleged violations of the anti-trust acts. An emergency appropriation will be asked of congress for the inquiry.

The trade commission announced today that it had held a conference with agriculture department officials to work out preliminary plans for the investigation and at the same time it made public President Wilson's request for the inquiry. An adequate food supply, a matter of concern to the nation at all times, is of peculiar importance at the present, the president declared. Despite much that has been done towards obtaining definite information concerning the supply and demand of foods it is not yet clear, he said, what measures are necessary to fundamental improvements.

"It is obvious," the letter asserts, "that there will be no sufficient incentive to enlarge production if there does not exist an unobstructed and economical system of distribution. Unjustifiable fluctuations in prices are not merely demoralizing; they inevitably deter adequate production. It has been alleged * * * that the course of trade in important food products is not free but is restricted and controlled by artificial and illegal means. It is of the highest public concern to ascertain the truth or falsity of these allegations."

"No business can be transacted effectively in an atmosphere of suspicion. If the allegations are well grounded it is necessary that the nature and extent of the evils and abuses be accurately determined so that proper remedies, legislative or administrative, may be applied. If they are not true it is equally essential that the public be informed, so that unrest and dissatisfaction may be allayed."

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ADVANCE DATE FOR

MUSTERING TROOPS OUT

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill., Feb. 10.—Date for mustering out the third Illinois was today extended from Feb. 12, to Feb. 21, as it was found that the three days additional would be required to complete the clerical work involved.

The scarlet fever scare, according to Colonel Greene has subsided at the Company C, of Ottawa, is still in quarantine. Private Summers, who came down with the sickness last week was said to be doing well.

MURGIA AT DIAZ

Chihuahua City, Mex., Feb. 10.—General Francisco Murguia has established headquarters at Diaz, a point between Santa Rosalia and Jimenez

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SENATOR SMITH'S AVAILABILITY.

In considering the availability of Senator Smith as a judicial candidate it is well to look at his record. That record is an open book. As assistant attorney general for two terms, as state's attorney of Sangamon county and more recently in the state senate, he has at all times proved a capable conscientious public servant. Senator Smith has stability of character, has legal training and a judicial temperament. Lawyers who know the man best—who have practiced with him through the years—are the most enthusiastic in supporting him as a candidate for the bench.

WRONG TIME FOR SUFFRAGE PICKETING.

The fact that suffrage advocates continue to picket the White House grounds is a matter for considerable newspaper criticism. The suffragists have not abandoned their plan of silence but their very presence has become a source of annoyance. Certainly they are accomplishing nothing favorable to suffrage and are prejudicing the public and the law-makers against them. This is especially true because of the tension under which the president and his advisers are now living. Even if the silent sentinel plan of campaign is to be carried on to further lengths, those in charge would act wisely if they abandoned the plan temporarily—at least until the international conditions are in a more settled and satisfactory state.

WATER CRISIS IS REAL.

Anybody who does not think that a water crisis—an absolute shortage—exists should visit Morgan lake and the storage reservoir. Anyone who believes that the present situation was brought about by city officials in order to create a sentiment in favor of a bond issue should visit the lake and the reservoir. The depth of the reservoir is between 17 and 18 feet and the gauge showed yesterday that the water level was almost 9 feet from the top. As the sides of the reservoir are slanting and the circumference at the bottom is much smaller than at the top, it is easy to figure that it is not more than one-third full. The city water department had hoped to raise the level Saturday and night than in the morning. Consumers must economize for a very serious situation faces the city unless this economy is practiced or a rain comes.

WHAT CANADA HAS DONE.

As we are in the midst of thoughts about military preparations and the sacrifices which would be necessary in case of war, it is well as Colonel Roosevelt points out in the Metropolitan magazine, to cast our eyes upon Canada. The dominion has contributed more than \$40,000,000 to relief funds. Steps have been taken to provide vocational training for the wounded. Pension plans are under way for veterans, widows and orphans. A great voluntary army has been equipped, transported and maintained. All this has been done by Canada with but one-thirtieth of our population and one-thirtieth of our wealth. "Her effort in men," Col. Roosevelt says, "is relatively as great as if we had raised an army of over five million soldiers. Her effort in the single item given above is equivalent to what this nation would have done if it had voluntarily contributed over a billion dollars in relief funds."

WHEN LASTING PEACE SHALL COME

Like the blood-red scarf of the matador

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

MONDAY TUESDAY
and WEDNESDAY

VAUDEVILLE

"PASQUELE & CELL"

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Wednesday—A 5 reel Metro picture "Mister 44," featuring Harold Lockwood and May Allison.

The Inefficiency of Lincoln

(From Woman's Home Companion)

It has come about in this country that we are all rushed to death in being efficient; so much so that we sometimes forget to be kind. We are so concerned lest we waste a minute of our precious lives that some of us grudge the time and effort it takes to be neighborly.

In the midst of our breathless efficiency, while the fever of making time in the sunshine is upon us, suddenly Lincoln's Birthday has come round again; and if we are not too busy to think of anything, it would do us good to stop for a minute and consider the glorious, majestic inefficiency of Lincoln.

We shudder to think what the verdict of the efficiency experts would be upon him. Why, the man had no sense of money at all!

And to get money is, of course, the chief purpose of efficiency. He had worked hard for an average lifetime before he was elected to the Presidency. Yet at his inauguration his entire fortune consisted of his house and lot in Springfield, and a little wild land in Iowa, granted to him for his services in the Black Hawk War. A few years later he is reported to have said: "I now have about ten thousand dollars, which is all the money one man ought to want."

He seems actually to have had the idea that money is merely incidental to the business of living; not nearly so important as friendships, or a sense of humor, or a clear conscience. He assumed that after a man had enough to pay his debts, and attain a reasonable degree of independence, it was useless, and even a trifle absurd, for him to pile up a great fortune. A more hopelessly inefficient point of view, of course, could hardly be imagined.

Take the question of time, also. Time, as every schoolboy knows, is money. Time is therefore sacred, and not to be carelessly frittered away in pleasant words, or friendly chatter.

The efficient modern man surrounds himself with strong barriers against those who would encroach upon his time. One must penetrate thru a dozen underlings to touch even the hem of his garment. His walls are hung with mottoes enjoining haste and terseness. His calendar is divided into hours and minutes; not one of them wasted.

In contrast with our modern selves, how divinely inefficient was Lincoln in respect to time. He actually lived as tho he expected to live forever. He carried the nation on his shoulders, as Atlas the world, yet he could find time to stop and play for a few minutes with his little boy, Tad. He could turn from the mass of official papers on his desk and take time to write:

"Tell Tad the goats and Father are very well—especially the goats."

That maddens the raging bull,
At the sight of blood the world went

And 'twill glut and glut 'till it's full.

'Twas greed and envy and hate and lust,
And the green-eyed monster's ire,
That burst like a bomb from its long confine

And set all the world on fire.

There is no rest for a world distressed,
While there's hate in the hearts of men.

For the dove broods not on viper's eggs
And the lamb lies not in their den.

Tho the nations cry for "peace, peace,"
It will come not at their call.

'Till every man is master of self,
And Love grand master o'er all.

—S. A. Hughes.

MAJORITY VERDICTS.

"From the Cleveland Leader)
The recent disagreement of the jury in a New Jersey murder case, in spite of the fact that the guilt of the accused was plainly evident, has brought up again the question of the majority verdict.

A strong case is made for majority rule in juries. Majority rule is the basis of all American government and is generally accepted by Americans in their personal affairs. Even a crowd of young people bent upon a good time will have it in the manner the majority desires. This is so in all matters under formal arbitration, no matter how important the issue involved. It holds true also, not only of the decision of the United States Supreme Court, but of all other courts presided over by a board of justices.

About the only thing that can be said for the unanimous jury verdict is that it follows precedent and makes the infliction of unjust penalties difficult. But all precedents become worn out in time and must give way to common sense, and our courts seem to have reached the point where it is so difficult for them to impose penalties unjustly that they are often unable to exact any at all.

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

FARM LIFE.

When I was young the farmers' shacks were shy of costly tones; and only last year's almanacs were found in many homes. I used to work for Uncle Hi, I plied the hoe with speed, and when night came how I would sigh for something fit to read! A weekly paper Uncle took, and it was always stale, but for a magazine or book he would dig up no kale. We fed the hogs their luscious stews, and gave the hens their hay, and never heard the great world news till it was old and gray. Oh, count-

When the little men around him were breaking under the strain, and worrying themselves toward the grave, he always had time to listen to anyone who could tell him a really funny story.

Office-seekers, mothers in distress, people with axes to grind—he saw them all.

Everybody wondered how he did his work, for he wasted so much time in laughter, and in friendliness, and simple, human helpfulness—all of which was so contrary to custom so terribly inefficient.

Inefficient in regard to money, inefficient in regard to time—and unblushingly inefficient in the waste of his emotions! No modern man has to be told that indulgence in emotion means nervous wear and tear, and nervous wear and tear decreases earning power and costs money. A truly efficient person must steel himself against emotion—against too much affection, too much kindness, too much sympathy. But Lincoln in his rude inefficiency never seemed to do it. Anybody with a trouble could come and tear away at his great heart.

As Commander-in-Chief, it was part of his duty to sign the reports of the army court-martials. It was senseless, of course, for him to burden his soul with the sorrows of each weeping mother whose boy was sentenced to be shot. Yet he would pace up and down his office, with the death sentence in his hands, and the arguments of his generals ringing in his ears. And usually, when he had heard all the arguments, he would give the boy another chance. It was all wrong to take his mind from the great national problems and give it so prodigally to the problems of a single broken-hearted mother. Yet that was the inefficient way he had.

We are living today in a feverish time. Prosperity is upon us, and we know not how long it may last. We must strain every nerve to the limit, lest to-morrow we awake and discover it vanished.

We raise up our sons for Success; from childhood efficiency is their lodestar. And all this is good. Frugality, and industry, and the improvement of the living hours—no one surely can condemn us for inculcating our children with these ideas.

But standing in the presence of Lincoln, today there comes over us a sense of dissatisfaction, a vague consciousness that something may be missing from our modern ideals, something that Lincoln had and that we have lost.

And we could wish, on Lincoln's Birthday, that somehow we Americans might be quickened anew with the touch of his spirit—his majesty, his carelessness of self his majestic, his almost divine inefficiency.

less farmers lived like this, in that the hidden time they held that ignorance was bliss, and reading was a crime. My Uncle Hi is now on high—at least I hope he's there; his generation had to die, as men must, everywhere. 'Tis but some thirty years ago since Uncle cashed his string, and faded from this vale of woe to play a harp and sing. How times have changed! The farmer's lair has reading, now, to burn; the farmer in his easy chair, today's hot news may learn. My Uncle Hi would find things strange, if he could be our guest. How times have changed—and every change seems always for the best!

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

February 11, 1845—Mr. Joseph Morrison introduced into the state senate a bill for the relief of the inhabitants on the Mississippi Bottom, whose property had been destroyed by the flood of 1843.

MATRIMONIAL

Nairn-Benne't

George H. Nairn of Brazelton, Kas., and Miss Laura Bennett of Meredosia were united in marriage Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the court house in this city, Judge William E. Thomson officiating. The couple were attended by Miss Ethel C. Bennett of Meredosia. The young people are well known in their home communities and begin wedded life with the good wishes of many friends. The groom is an engineer by occupation, and he and his bride will reside in Meredosia.

Hull-McCarthy

Miss Elsie Estelle McCarthy and Earl Hull, both of this city, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father P. F. Formax at the parochial residence, and was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hull.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCarthy of 330 East College avenue in this city. She is a young woman of many admirable traits of character and is held in high regard by a wide circle of friends. The groom is a cigarmaker and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hull of 600 East Independence avenue. The young people begin married life under very auspicious circumstances.

Snow-Lowry

Word has been received at Passavant hospital of the marriage in Burley, Idaho, of Miss Margaret Lowry, P. M. H., to A. F. Snow of that city. They will be at home to friends after March 1 on the farm of Mr. Snow, two miles northwest of Burley.

Mrs. Howard Smith and daughter started yesterday for their home in Dover, Mont. They have been making an extended visit with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lippincott.

Miss Bess Hadden in attending a house party in Virden.

Elliott State Bank

Capital\$ 150,000.00

Undivided Profits\$ 28,000.00

Deposits\$1,148,000.00

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Savings Deposits made during the FIRST TEN DAYS of February will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Gave Birthday Party for Daughter.

Mrs. O. G. Dinwiddie entertained a company of young people Saturday afternoon at her home east of Arcadia in honor of the 13th birthday anniversary of her daughter, Helen. There were thirty-five guests present and the hours were thoroughly enjoyed. Nearly all the guests were schoolmates. Games and contests made the afternoon pass away quickly. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and the contest over the tea cups or a leap in the future was the occasion of much merriment at this time. Miss Helen was the recipient of a number of nice gifts.

Birthday Surprise for Mrs. Burmeister.

Mrs. George Burmeister was most pleasantly surprised last Friday afternoon at her home east of Arcadia, when fifteen neighbors came in with their fancy work to spend the afternoon in celebration of her 32nd birthday anniversary. The afternoon was most pleasant for all in the company. The hostess assisted by Mrs. Lena Thompson, who had a delicious freezer of ice cream prepared and served to her guests. Those present were Mrs. Lena Thompson, Mrs. Lila Thompson, Mrs. Maggie Thompson and daughter Catherine, Mrs. Sarah Rexroat and son Ellis, Mrs. Lottie Gish and son Donald, Mrs. Ida Henderson and daughter Bernice, Mrs. Mabel Clark and daughter Marjorie, Mrs. Nina Neill, Mrs. Cecil Rudisill, Mrs. Josephine Olsmeyer and Mrs. Sallie Deatherage.

Physicians and Dentists At Smoker.

Dr. Carl E. Black entertained physicians and dentists of Jacksonville at a smoker Saturday night at his West State street home, to meet Dr. Charles L. Mix and Arthur D. Black of Chicago. It goes without saying that the occasion was one the physicians and dentists greatly enjoyed.

Newsboys' Banquet.

Invitations will be issued during the week for a banquet to be given next Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. for newsboys of the city, when there will be organized the Jacksonville Y. M. C. A. Newsboys' association. Plans for this banquet were announced at a meeting Saturday afternoon, called by C. F. Ehnie at the association building.

Murrayville Club Meets With Mrs. Spencer.

The Murrayville Social Domestic Science club met with Mrs. J. H. Spencer and a program of more than ordinary interest was carried out. The club song was followed by the calling of the roll at which time patriotic quotations were used. The program:

"Patriots, Who are They?"—Miss Mildred Wright.

"Balancing the Menu"—Miss Pearl Story.

Piano solo—Miss Wright.
Demonstration of cranberry tart and apple salad—Mesdames Daniels, and Story and Walker.

Maple Grove Association Has Interesting Meeting.

The Parent-Teacher association of Maple Grove district held an interesting meeting Friday evening in the school. Judge W. E. Thomson gave an instructive address, taking for his theme the value of co-operation between parent and teacher. A number of questions from the last meeting were read and discussed. Miss Eva Baxter rendered two piano solos which were greatly enjoyed by all. Then came the old fashioned spelling contest, conducted by Charles H. Story. The contest was won by Miss Eva Baxter. Others who maintained their place well were Miss Ethel Story, Mrs. C. L. Hankins, Mrs. John Hodges, Harry Sandberg, Miss Ida Soborne, John Godfrey. Program arrangements were in charge of Burley Jones, the principal. A social hour prevailed and refreshments were served.

Entertained Gamma Delta.

Members of the Gamma Delta society of Illinois college were guests of Miss Miriam Russell Saturday afternoon. It was an informal company with appointments which made it greatly enjoyed by everyone present.

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Thursday, Feb. 15, at ten a. m. A. C. Means will sell on the Orear farm three miles southeast of Sinclair four horses, two spans of mules, two milk cows, harness, saddle, feed, oats, straw, 100 bushels oats, wagons, plows, and a great variety of farm implements.

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Tuesday—Paramount Picture.
MARGUERIT ECLARK in
"Mice and Men."

CITY AND COUNTY

Chester Colton of Woodson was a city caller yesterday.

W. J. Moore of Bluffs was a business caller in the city yesterday.

J. K. Colbert of Waverly was called to the city Saturday on business.

E. J. Needham of Virginia was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Ausmus of Pisgah called on city friends yesterday.

John Kumble of Alexander was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Mrs. James Joy of Joy Prairie was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Charles Baumaster of Winchester was a city caller yesterday.

George Nottun of Concord made the city a visit yesterday.

Albert Crum came down to the city from Litchberry yesterday.

E. Davidsmeyer of Franklin was one of the city callers yesterday.

N. B. Fox was down to the city from Sinclair yesterday.

Valentine and Washington favors in candy cherries, hatchets, hearts and small cases at MERRIGAN'S.

Clyde Cooper helped represent Concord in the city yesterday.

Wm. D. White was up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

C. E. Cussing of Franklin was a city caller yesterday.

Philip Cleary of Markham was a city caller yesterday.

Herman Baumaster of Buckhorn vicinity visited the city yesterday.

George Naulty of Prentice made a trip to the city yesterday.

Earl Smith of White Hall was transacting business matters in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall of the south part of the county were city shoppers yesterday.

Ivan L. Penton of Winchester spent Saturday in the city on business.

M. Boatman of Carlinville was numbered among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

H. H. Fields of Keokuk Iowa was here yesterday looking after business matters.

Leonard Wood of Pisgah precinct had business to see to in the city yesterday.

W. H. McAllister of the south part of the county visited city friends yesterday.

Harry Hadden was here from Beardstown Saturday visiting relatives.

M. S. Patrick of West Ridge was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

Miss Lulu Seymour of Franklin was attending to winter shopping in the city yesterday.

Edward McNeely of the vicinity of Nortonville was a caller on city people yesterday.

Ira and Miss Nettie Grey were up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

T. G. Hopper of Alton was attending to business in the city yesterday.

\$7.50 NEW SPRING SAMPLE HATS, \$3.98.

THE EMPORIUM.

Miss Marie Hartsock of Beardstown was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

A. J. Johnson and Jesse Seaver were representatives of Waverly in the city yesterday.

Miss Rose Quig of Chapin was a shopper with merchants of Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. J. R. Allen of Litchberry was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Thomas Fitzpatrick and James Naulty of the north part of the county called in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Edgar Vasey of Woodson was a trader with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

William Sappington of Scott county was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Henry Grey of Alexander was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Edward Green of the east part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

Valentine and Washington favors in candy cherries, hatchets, hearts and small cases at MERRIGAN'S.

John Watford of New Berlin had business attracting him to the city yesterday.

Prince Coates and family of the east part of Scott county were city arrivals yesterday.

Paul Egan, Bernard Allen and Werner Onken were all city arrivals yesterday from Chapin.

J. G. Hergen of Arenzville was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

H. A. Naylor of Mercedosa was called to the city by business matters yesterday.

Douglas Turley was a city arrival from Grace Chapel vicinity yesterday.

Charles O'Donnell of Winchester was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Edward German of Buckhorn region was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Miss Margaret Egan of Chapin was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. S. M. Hall of Hannibal, Mo., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Shafer, 226 South Church street.

Mrs. Annie C. Dickson has returned to her home in Springfield after a brief visit with Jacksonville friends.

Mrs. George H. James of Woodson was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Frank Sullivan of Ashland was among Saturday visitors in the city.

John Wilson of Durbin vicinity was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Save from ten to thirty per cent by buying SWEATERS this week of FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

John Moss, Herbert Challiner and Samuel Bridgman of the northwest part of the county called in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Spiker of Sinclair was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Her family expect soon to remove to Waverly.

Frank Robinson is down from Lincoln for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Robinson on North Main street.

Milton Seymour has returned to Colorado after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Seymour of Franklin.

Gilbert Snyder, Rev. W. A. Keenan, Ernest Alford and Wilbur Keenan were all city arrivals from Franklin yesterday.

Harley Hite of the vicinity of Chapin called in the city yesterday.

George Wheeler of Sinclair was a city caller yesterday.

Edward Coe of Antioch vicinity was a city business caller yesterday.

E. E. Drury and James T. Hooten were in the city from Orleans neighborhood yesterday.

Miss Fitzpatrick a prominent citizen of the region of Lynnville was in the city yesterday accompanied by her son Edward.

Mr. Fitzpatrick expects soon to move to a farm in the vicinity of Woodson.

Miss Mae Keyne, teacher of the Oak Hill school near Murrayville, was a city shopper yesterday.

She said the entertainment mentioned in the Journal brought them money enough to buy 43 books and several pictures of which the young lady is particularly proud.

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ILLINOIS WON FROM EUREKA SATURDAY

A Hard Fought Battle Brought Victory to Home Team with Score of 37 to 31—Eureka Won Easily at Earlier Date.

In a game that for excitement surpassed the Millikin-Indiana game Illinois defeated Eureka in Armory hall Saturday night by a score of 37 to 31. Until the last few minutes of play there was never more than two points difference between the teams. Usually Illinois was in the lead but on two occasions Eureka went into the lead. It began to look as though the game would be won or lost by one point for neither team seemed to be able to get any further ahead. Toward the last, however, Illinois shot several baskets and put the game on ice.

At the end of the first half the score stood 22 to 21 in favor of Illinois. The beginning of the second half Eureka went into the lead but they only retained it for a short time.

While the game was fast all the time there were not many fouls committed and most of them were unintentional over zealousness on the part of the players causing them. Both teams displayed a fine spirit of sportsmanship throughout.

Home Team Full of Pep.

It was surely a reversal of form for Illinois. Last week Eureka defeated the blue and white team by a score of 36 to 19. Illinois was badly off form only making two field baskets. Last night the entire team played with great "pep" from the first to the last whistle.

It would be hard to pick out the men who deserve mention. The whole team played with one purpose in view, that of winning the game. The result was some of the greatest offensive work ever seen on a local floor.

Gaylord, Hill and Tomlinson were the chief point makers for Illinois. They all played well together and did some excellent passing. On the defense Pierce and Spink were a great pair. Time and again they broke up the visitors' passing. If you believe it was some job too for Eureka has a system of short passing that is hard to solve.

Eureka was not far behind in the matter of fine playing. The team played a strong defensive game and Illinois had to fight hard to get within shooting distance of the basket. On the offense Eureka was also hard to stop. They were good at following up shots and made a number of points because of this ability.

O'Marah was easily the Eureka star. He tossed several phenomenal baskets from difficult angles putting the ball thru without even touching the rim. Darst at center also did good work.

In the curtain raiser the Illinois third team defeated Brown's Business college by a score of 34 to 12.

Illinois: F. G. F. T. T. P. Gaylord, f. 7 1 15 Hill, f. 5 0 10 Tomlinson, c. 5 0 10 Pierce, g. 1 0 2 Spink, g. 0 0 0

Totals 18 1 37

Eureka: F. G. F. T. T. P. Juny, f. 4 0 8 O'Marah, f. 6 1 13 Darst, c. 4 0 8 Smith, g. 0 0 0 McKenzie, g. 1 0 2 Rogers, g. 0 0 0

Totals 15 1 31

Referee—Cullihan, Knox.

Illinois Thirds: F. G. F. T. T. P. Cully, f. 7 0 14 McKelroy, f. 4 0 8 Stead, c. 2 0 4 Daigh, g. 0 0 0 Spaulding, g. 2 0 4 Ellison, g. 0 0 0

Totals 17 0 34

Business College: F. G. F. T. T. P. Mayer, f. 2 0 4 Mead, f. 2 0 4 Leach, c. 0 0 0 Marshall, g. 1 0 2 Hoffman, g. 2 0 4

Totals 7 0 14

Referee—Cullihan, Knox.

NOTICE

OWING TO THE CONSTANT ADVANCE IN MERCHANDISE WE ARE MAKING MANY CASH PURCHASES IN ORDER TO MAKE LARGER DISCOUNTS. FOR THIS PURPOSE WE NEED A GREAT DEAL OF READY MONEY. WE WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF SOME OF OUR OUT-STANDINGS WHICH ARE PAST DUE COULD BE PAID AT ONCE.

J. HERMAN.

MR. BURKE HERE

Edmund Burke of Springfield, Democratic candidate for circuit judge in this district, was in Jacksonville Saturday. Mr. Burke came to meet local Democrats and to attend a session of the Morgan county Democratic committee. A. D. Arnold, chairman of the committee, presided during the session and brief speeches were made by Judge Norman L. Jones and by Mr. Burke.

TWO—PIANO RECITAL.

Edith M. Robinson, Carl F. L. Jensen, Music Hall, 1 W. C. Tues. eve., Feb. 13, 8:15 p. m.

CARD OF THANKS.

"We wish to extend our sincere thanks to many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown during the funeral and after the death of Mrs. Mary Rea. We also wish to express appreciation for the many beautiful flowers."

James Rea and Family.

WHITE HALL WINS IN SPIRITED CONTEST

Greene County Players Had Hard Struggle in Defeating Local High School Team—Score 28 to 22.

White Hall did not have an easy task defeating Jacksonville Saturday night. When the final whistle blew the score was 28 to 22 in favor of the visitors. With a little luck on shooting baskets Jacksonville would have been returned the winner.

Coach Smith of White Hall when the game started used Hyle who is a regular forward at center and Seely at guard. However, the locals played them so hard that he finally put Johnson at center and Hyle at forward.

White Hall has a fast basketball team but it will have to play better basketball than was displayed last night to beat Springfield. They had lots of luck too. Vandever, who was the chief point maker for White Hall had a horse shoe. He got many lucky baskets that under ordinary conditions would have not counted.

For the locals Walker played a good offensive game, one of his baskets, bordered on the phenomenal. Hull, Rexroat and Hudson also did some good work. On the defense Howard Reynolds did great work and prevented White Hall from scoring several times.

In the curtain raiser the Juniors defeated the Seniors by a score of 13 to 0. The score:

Jacksonville: F. G. F. T. T. P. Walker, f. 3 0 6 Rexroat, f. 1 1 3 Hudson, f. 0 0 0 Hull, c. 3 1 7 Howard Reynolds, g. 2 0 4 Green, g. 0 0 0 Homer Reynolds, g. 0 0 0

Totals 10 2 22

White Hall: F. G. F. T. T. P. Vandaveer, f. 8 3 19 Hulbertson, f. 1 0 2 Hyle, c. & f. 4 0 8 Johnson, c. 0 0 0 Seely, g. 0 0 0 Vermillion, g. 0 0 0

Totals 13 3 29

Referee—Potter, Illinois; umpire, Gaylord, Illinois.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Notwithstanding the effort made by some consumers to decrease consumption, the supply in the west side reservoir is now the lowest known for many months. The gauge yesterday showed water down 106 inches below the overflow. This means the reservoir is only one-third full. Do not be deceived into thinking that no emergency exists. Unless greater economy is immediately shown or some relief comes thru rain it will be necessary to shut off many consumers tomorrow or Tuesday.

Joshua Vasconcellos, Commissioner of Public Property.

CLUB MET WITH MRS. WHEELER

The Larkin club met with Mrs. Joseph Wheeler Thursday evening at 2:30 o'clock for re-organization. A pink and white color effect was secured in the dining room by the use of large carnations. Excellent refreshments were served. The club adjourned at 5:30 o'clock to meet with Miss Mable Robinson, 407 Anna street.

Miss Allie O'Donnell and Miss Maria O'Donnell who accompanied their sister Miss Susie O'Donnell Saturday from Winchester to Our Savior's hospital, are remaining for a visit with their brother, J. H. O'Donnell. Mrs. Otto Frey of Springfield is a guest also at the O'Donnell home.

Floreth Co. New Spring Silks

We are now showing New Spring Silks in various stripes, the very newest for Dresses, Shirt Waists—all yard wide, now displayed in our north window and priced at \$1.50 and \$2.00 yard.

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Millinery Department Announcement for Spring 1917

Greater efforts than ever will be made this season in style and price. Our trimmers are now in the market studying styles and very soon we will show to the general public everything that is new in Spring Millinery at prices lower than usual.

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GRACE CHAPEL

Friday, February 10th, the second quarterly conference of Concord circuit will be held at Concord M. P. church at two P. M.

The Willing Workers society of Grace Chapel will hold a market at Andre and Andre's store in Jacksonville Saturday afternoon.

Edith Wheeler and children of near Arenzville are visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Cox.

Charles Cole was a business caller in Concord Wednesday.

Charlie Bremer and wife and Mrs. Golden Bremer spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longhary.

Miss Emma Cox of Virginia is visiting this week with home folks.

Charles Bremer, wife and family visited Thursday with Harry Barber and family of North Prairie.

W. H. Fuller of Jacksonville was in this vicinity Thursday, buying horses and mules for his sale.

Walter Houston shipped two loads of logs Wednesday to the St. Louis market, receiving as high as \$1.50 per cwt. for some of them. Quite a number of the farmers never before sold logs at that price.

J. O. Kennedy and Wm. Delaney were callers in Jacksonville Wednesday and left home a new horse.

Mrs. Grace Moss and son Clarence spent Tuesday with Mrs. Hannah Brainer and family.

—ARENZVILLE—

Leota Frances Garrett, six years old, daughter of William Garrett and wife, was called away to the Great Beyond, as a result of burns sustained Saturday from a gasoline can which exploded in a cellar where she was playing with matches. She was born in Bath and was the daughter of William Garrett and wife. She leaves mother and father and two sisters and two brothers.

Rev. Baxter Hale conducted the funeral. Elie Wood has been sick with the popular malady, Grippe.

Allen Beasley of Hlandsville, Ill., was summoned hereby to the death of his father, Joseph Beley.

Mrs. Joseph Dresbach has recovered from an attack of legrippe.

Mrs. Walter Prol has recovered sufficiently from lagrippe to be calling on her sick friends.

Mrs. Martin Hudson and brother William Elsworth Beley of Coldwater, Kan., have been here, called by the death of their father.

Mrs. Irving spent a few days at Concord recently.

Mrs. Mrs. Houston spent a few days with Frank Hulse household at North Prairie recently.

Mrs. J. M. Swane and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Crum attended the funeral of

their uncle, Henry Maut at Jacksonville. William Rich has departed for St. Louis to seek employment.

R. J. Chmura returned from Champaign where he attended the short agricultural course. This is a trip more of our citizens should take, as few realize the magnitude of our great State University in which we are all interested.

Harry P. Tribert the energetic representative of the New York Life Insurance Co. was a recent business caller at Beardstown.

Charles Brasell now occupies the residence recently vacated by Mrs. Emma Beuchamp.

Friends of Mrs. John Tabin, a former resident of this place are sorry to learn of her illness at the home of her daughters at Chicago. She is reported no better.

Word has reached relatives here of the critical illness of Russell Eaton of Oklahoma, and a former resident at this place.

WITH THE SICK

S. T. Maddox of 734 East State street who has been sick since last November is able to walk about his premises for a short time each day.

Mrs. George W. Corbridge of Ashland Avenue who has been ill for some time of pneumonia has been taken to Passavant hospital for treatment.

Elizabeth Stearns, who has been ill with bronchial pneumonia at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stearns, is steadily improving.

George O. Johnson, a patient at Passavant hospital, is much improved and is now able to see his friends.

Mrs. George Griffith of Roodhouse is a patient at Passavant hospital.

Miss Anna Kingsley, who has been under quarantine for several weeks as a result of an attack of diptheria, has resumed her work in the faculty of the state school for the deaf.

STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS' SON DIES IN SOUTH

Judge Robert Martin Douglas, son of Stephen A. Douglas, died at his home in Greensboro, N. C., Thursday, aged 69 years.

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Featuring Edward Cecil, Carl Von Schiller and Neva Gerber. Three parts. The last version of the theme which Shakespeare used in "Taming of the Shrew."

WEDNESDAY

BLUEBIRD PHOTOPLAY

—Presents—

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"The Purple Mask"

Featuring Francis Ford and Grace Cunard. Also

"HIS LITTLE ROOM MATE"

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"Brute Force"

Featuring George Pearce, James Farley and Miss Hollenbeck. A two part mountain drama. Also

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Featuring Gale Henry. A big Joker Comedy.

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REPORT UNIVERSAL TRAINING MEASURE

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colleges, or who have served their six months training period under one act. These officers would be liable annually for three years for two months' duty on training troops and could be promoted only on examination and compliance with training regulations to be fixed by the president.

Machinery for the discharge of officers on unfavorable findings as to their qualifications by efficiency boards also is provided.

The sale of intoxicating liquors to a member of the citizen army or navy while in uniform is forbidden, although the sale and use of such for medicinal purposes is possible under regulation. Another feature is that men who have completed their training would be entitled to wear a rosette showing the class to which they belong.

Inclined to Disapprove. Officials of the general staff are inclined to disapprove the bill, particularly because of the six months' training period. They declare that even the year minimum fixed in the staff plan contemplated only fifty percent of the efficiency of the average European requirement for training.

The staff officers are inclined also to feel that inadequate provision is made for training personnel. A force of 500,000 men, they say, requires a minimum of 17,000 officers, at least fifty percent of whom must be professional soldiers if anything resembling intensive training is to be given in six months. The full command strength of the regular army under the national defense act will be less than 12,000 officers and it is pointed out that if 8,000 of these were to be detached for training purposes for six months out of each year, training of the regulars or any use of that force would be virtually impossible. It is understood that the staff bill takes these points into consideration.

GERMANY SEEKS EXCHANGE OF VIEWS

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ceived in official quarters left the impression that there was little possibility of a favorable response here. Only Two Courses Open.

The attitude of officials has been that only two courses are open to Germany—that she must either pursue her ruthlessness at the hazard of war with this country or restore her repudiated pledges given in the Sussex case. It has been felt here that Germany has been warned more fully than she had any right to expect regarding the attitude of the United States and that she decided on her course with full knowledge of its results.

Officials, apparently however, are not surprised at the German action. In one diplomatic quarter it was characterized tonight as calculated to shift to the state department responsibility for what Germany's own actions may lead to. It is realized also that it will have an effect on the pacifist and the pro-German elements in the country which will be embarrassing to officials here.

The Swiss legation in Washington has been informed that Ambassador Gerard, his staff and fifty American citizens would leave Berlin Saturday night by special train for Zurich Switzerland.

Arrangements have been completed for the departure from New York on Wednesday night of Count Von Bernstorff and his staff on board the steamship Frederick VII, for Christiana, Norway. Agents of the Scandinavian-American line in New York received permission of the owners in Copenhagen to use the vessel to carry the German ambassador across the Atlantic.

TWO-PIANO RECITAL.

Edith M. Robinson, Carl F. L. Jensen, Music Hall, 1 W. C. Tues. eve., Feb. 13, 8:15 p. m.

THE PAPER STEALING HABIT.

Notice is given elsewhere in this paper that the Journal company will pay a reward of \$100 for information leading to the arrest of persons guilty of stealing Journals after delivery to subscribers. There have been a number of complaints of stolen papers and only Saturday a lady living on South Church street reported that one morning the past week she had seen a well dressed gentleman come on the premises and take the paper. A knock on the window had shown him that he was seen by the subscriber. He then threw the paper on the porch and hurried away. The subscriber in question had been missing papers quite frequently and "the well dressed gentleman" gave her the explanation.

People who have strict ideas of honesty along other lines sometimes seem to think there is nothing very wrong about stealing a paper if it happens to be handy to the walk as they are passing along. Nothing is more annoying to subscribers or to the publisher than "the stolen paper" and every effort will be made to put a stop to transgressions of this kind.

Conklin's and other fountain pens of acknowledged worth. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

FUNERALS

Holt.

Funeral services for James H. Holt were held Saturday forenoon at 11 o'clock at Union church. Elder Baxter Hale was in charge and interment was made in Union cemetery.

The death of Mr. Holt took place Thursday forenoon at 10:30 o'clock at the home of the deceased, five and a half miles southwest of Virginia, of tuberculosis. Mr. Holt was 42 years old. Mr. Holt was born in Tennessee. The widow and two children survive.

MORTUARY

Zachary

Samuel T. Zachary has received word of the death of his brother, J. M. Zachary at Marlow, Oklahoma. Deceased was born in Tennessee but lived a part of his young life in Kentucky. During the civil war he served in Co. C First Kentucky cavalry along with three other brothers all of whom gave their lives to the cause of the union. They were Peter, killed at Mill Spring, Kentucky; Allen, killed at Croker creek, Hayes Farm, Kentucky; Logan, a prisoner at Ellis Isle where he died from hardship and exposure.

He is survived by his wife, five sons, four in the grocery business at Marlow and one an evangelist preacher, also by a brother in Tennessee, a sister in Washington and another in Pope county, Ill. Mr. Zachary was an honorable, upright man, given to good deeds and much esteemed by all who knew him. He was of a family that suffered greatly for their union principles but he was steadfast in the line of duty.

Cavender

Mrs. Caroline N. Cavender passed away Saturday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the home of her niece Mrs. W. A. Bancroft of 225 Prospect street. Death came as a release from a long illness as Mrs. Cavender had been bedfast for a period of over three years. In 1913 Mrs. Cavender suffered a paralytic stroke and her condition grew gradually worse from month to month until the final summons came.

Caroline N. Atwood was born in Concord, New Hampshire in 1833 and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moses G. Atwood. Her parents moved to Alton, Illinois in 1837 and later their daughter attended Monticello Seminary where her education was received. In 1852 she was married to Robert S. Cavender of St. Louis who died in 1909. Since that time she has made her home in Alton and Jacksonville coming first to the home of her sister Mrs. Lillian Grierson of 723 West State street and after the death of Mrs. Grierson to the home of her niece Mrs. Bancroft. She was a member of the Unitarian church of Alton.

Mrs. Cavender was a woman of fine presence and bearing. She was a great lover of literary culture and her reading had been extensive. She was kindly in spirit and gentle in disposition and many friends were attracted to her. Thru the months of suffering, she has been comforted to pass she has been courageous and uncomplaining. During her long illness she has had the attentive care of her two nieces Mrs. Bancroft and Miss Lulu Topping and her nephew William A. Bancroft.

Mrs. Cavender was the mother of one child, a daughter, who died at the age of four years. She is survived by three nieces, Mrs. Bancroft and Miss Lulu Topping of Jacksonville and Mrs. Mary Southworth of Littlefield. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home. Interment will take place in Alton where the body will be taken Monday morning.

Hoffman

Word was received Saturday by Philip Hackman of the death of the four months old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hoffman of Louisville, Ky., formerly of this city. Mrs. Hoffman is a niece of Mr. Hackman. The remains will arrive in this city at 1:05 p. m. today and will be taken at once to Diamond Grove cemetery, where interment will be made.

Bushnell

Rachael Jane Bushnell an old and highly respected citizen of Mercedosia, passed away at her home in that city Saturday morning Feb. 10. She was born Jan. 31, 1838 at Berkshire, Ky., and at the age of six years accompanied her parents to the vicinity of Mercedosia where she has since resided. She was married Aug. 23, 1861 to Nelson C. Bushnell at Mercedosia. She is survived by eight children: Emma Cox of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Lettie Neville, of Quincy; Ralph of Minneapolis, Minn.; Edwin of Bushnell; Elmer of Kellogg, Idaho; Nelson, Chance, and Ollie Pond of Mercedosia, also 27 grandchildren. The deceased was a consistent member of the Methodist church in Mercedosia of which she was the last charter member. The funeral will take place Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home. Rev. T. L. Hancock, pastor of the Methodist church officiating. Interment in Oakland cemetery.

Berchtold.

Theodore Berchtold died Saturday evening at 5 o'clock at his home, three and one-half miles southeast of Alexander, of a ten-day illness of pneumonia. Deceased for many years had been a resident of the Alexander vicinity and he was respected by all for his industry and integrity.

Mr. Berchtold was born in Germany, March 6, 1863, and came to America at the age of 11, making his home in Shelby county, Illinois, and coming to Morgan county at the age of 21.

Mr. Berchtold is survived by his widow and six children, Stephen Berchtold, Misses Minnie, Theresa and Clara Berchtold, Carl and Louise Berchtold. Two children preceded the father in death. Three brothers and two sisters survive: John Berchtold of Seaton, Ill.; Henry Berchtold of Champaign, William Berchtold of Alexander, Mrs. John Tremble and Miss Anna Berchtold, St. Louis.

The funeral will be held Wednesday forenoon at the Church of the Visitation, Alexander. Burial will be made at Franklin. Friends are requested to please omit flowers.

Hot water bottles, fountain syringes and other rubber goods at special sale prices this week. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

FORMER BANDIT LEADER DIES. San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 10.—The exploits of Chris Evans, leader more than a score of years ago of a notorious gang of California train robbers, were recalled today as a result of his death at Portland, Ore., last night. He was paroled in 1911 from Folsom prison where seventeen years of imprisonment had transformed the erstwhile dashing train robber into a broken old man. Later Governor Johnson pardoned him. He leaves a widow and four sons.

YOUR MATRIMONIAL CHANCE AT SCOTT'S

Unique Film Will be Shown—Will Interest You Whether or Not You are Matrimonially Inclined.

This may be the matrimonial chance for which you have been looking. Read some of the details contained in the letter received by Manager Scott of Scott's theatre from the Silver Matrimonial agency of Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 5, 1917. Scott Theatre, Jacksonville, Ill. Gentlemen:

We will ship you by express 500 feet of moving pictures showing some of our clients at their every day life. These clients are men and women between the ages of 18 and 67 years, and are desirous of corresponding with parties in Jacksonville with a view to marriage.

This film also gives a description of the parties whom these clients are desirous of corresponding with. Run these matrimonial ads at your theatre on Thursday, Feb. 15 only, and then ship them back to us immediately. Enclosed find check for running these ads.

Yours truly,

Silver Matrimonial Agency.

The writer has seen matrimonial advertisements in the newspapers but to see the parties who are desirous of entering the holy bonds of wedlock in their every day life in moving pictures is an entirely new ideal.

Miss Grace Hoffman, pianist at Scott's theatre, has suggested to Mr. Scott that she will play the wedding march while these matrimonial advertisements are appearing on the screen. Next Thursday is the date and whether or not you are matrimonially inclined you will certainly enjoy these pictures.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES

The Fine Point Club will meet with Richard Reynolds, 1405 West College avenue Friday, Feb. 16.

The Opportunity Sunday School class of Grace M. E. church taught by Mrs. Madden will hold a social meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. Carl York 348 Sandusky street.

The Wednesday class will meet with Mrs. F. J. Waddell.

The Fortnightly club will meet Thursday at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Caldwell. "Miss Morey will discuss "Writers of Plays and Poems," and Miss Grassley, "Some Western Poets."

The regular meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace church will be held Thursday Feb. 15th at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Hill at the State hospital. Members please note change of place of meeting.

The Westminster Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Bland 527 South Main street Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Pastor's Aid society of Grace church will meet Tuesday Feb. 13th at 2 o'clock at the church.

The Free Kindergarten will hold its regular meeting at the Public Library Monday at 3 p. m. All please attend.

The Woman's Missionary society of State Street church will meet Tuesday at 3 p. m. Feb. 13th with Miss Trabue 1605 Mound Avenue.

The Social Domestic Science club will meet Friday Feb. 16 at the residence of Mrs. Charles Jackson 427 So. Sandy street.

The Chaminade Musical club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. F. L. Haigrove at 2:30 o'clock. A Russian program will be given.

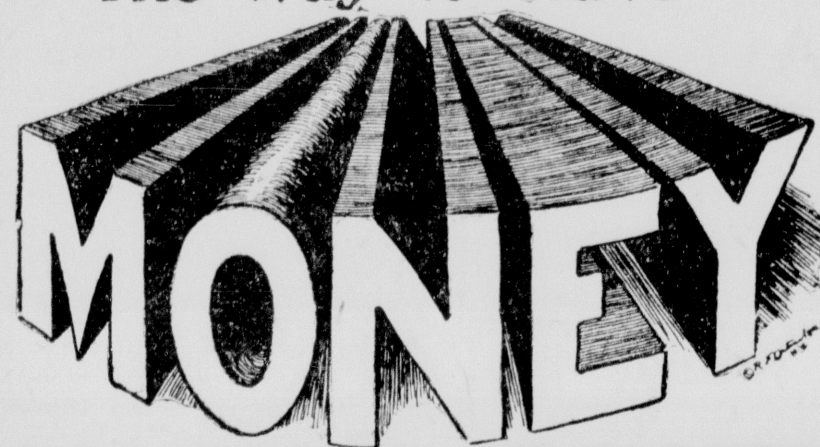
The Literary Union will meet Monday evening with Dr. A. B. Morey. Leader Rev. George C. Lexington.

The Hospital Aid society will hold the regular meeting at the hospital Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Ebenezer M. E. church will be held with Mrs. C. S. Black, Thursday, March 8.

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Baptist church will meet in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

TO SAVE CITY WATER

In view of the threatened water shortage the eighty horses of Cherry's livery will be watered from wells in the vicinity of the barn. John Vasconcellos, the manager, completed arrangements Saturday, o'clock Saturday evening by a roof and a well on the property of Dr.

FIRE AT HOPPER HOME.

The fire department was called to the home of Charles Hopper, 301 North Diamond street, about 6 o'clock Saturday evening by a roof fire. The damage was slight.

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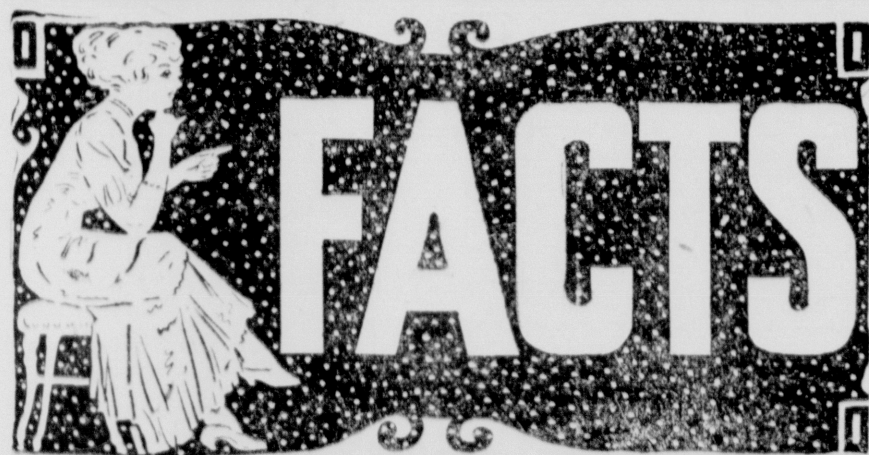
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SATURDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Universal military training bill reported from military affairs committee.

Rear-Admirals Griffin and Taylor advocated electric drive for new battle cruisers before the naval affairs committee.

McCumber resolution to have Secretary of State submit the government's views on use and limitations of submarines was referred to foreign relations committee. Began consideration of postoffice appropriation bill.

Adjourned at 5:22 p. m., to 11 a. m., Monday.

House.

Considered naval appropriation bill and agreed to vote on it Tuesday.

Secretary Daniels urged immedi-

ate appropriations of \$250,000 to extend coast guard telephone lines. Adjourned at 5:30 p. m., to 11 a. m., Monday.

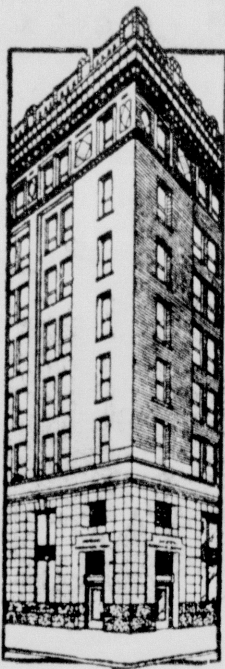
COURT AFFAIRS

MUNDAY'S CONVICTION

OTTAWA, Ill., Feb. 10.—The conviction of C. B. Munday for wrecking the LaSalle Street Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago, was affirmed by the Appellate court of the second district today. The opinion was written by Justice Carnes and approved by Justices Dill and Neilson. Munday was the active head of the bank which was founded by former Senator William Lorimer. Munday who claimed that he could not obtain a fair trial in Chicago had the case removed to Grundy county. Lorimer was tried later, and was acquitted.

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for road commissioner, for District No. 8. **Lloyd Magill.**

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O, give me a glass of rich sweet milk!
Which never goes out of style;
The millionaire kids, in velvet or silk.

All drink of good milk, with a smile.
But its millions of destitute, painfully poor.

Who suffer, all over this sphere.
And a horde of workers, with woe at the door.

Who glory in such a "good cheer,"
From the earliest days of man's dire need.

When Adam and Eve "raised Cain,"
It has been a feed for the human breed.

Which has kept away hunger's pain;
How thankful to God, we all should be.

Who made it from His good heart.
And to amiable Eve—how motherly she.

To give such a food, a good start.
Feb. 11, 1917. —W. W. Crane.

PUBLIC SALE.

Tuesday, Feb. 13th at 10 a. m., A. B. Kinnett will sell on the R. S. Wood farm two and a half miles southeast of Pigeon, twenty horses and mules, comprising some fine draft, roadster and saddle animals and matched teams; one milk cow, three yearling steers, two heifers, nine brood sows, bred; a lot of implements, 250 bales timothy hay, stubble hay, baled oats straw, corn in crib and other property.

Miss Phyllis Wilkinson, senior at Illinois Woman's college is enjoying a visit from her sister, Miss Frances Wilkinson.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to cure. Extra send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. L. W. Hall, 206 Olive St. at St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

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FEDERAL INSPECTOR AT PACKING PLANT

Dr. Bullock of Department of Animal Husbandry Spends Two Days in City.

Dr. Bullock, a representative of the animal husbandry department of the federal government, spent two days the past week at the Jacksonville Packing company. Once or twice a year a federal inspector comes and after examining the plant makes report to the chief of the department. During such visits the inspector does not make recommendations direct to the management, and just what his opinions and findings are come later—that is, if any changes are necessary in order to comply with the law.

Dr. Bullock spent two days at the local plant this week because he wished to see the work of hog killing in operation. A federal inspector is stationed regularly at the packing plant but these special supervising inspectors are sent around from time to time as an extra precaution to see that the inspection law is being properly enforced. In the past the special federal men have found only unimportant details to remedy at the local plant and it is said to be in excellent condition.

Incidentally it can be mentioned that the plant is being operated in a very successful way under the management of Fred Berg and the company ranks as one of the large business enterprises of Jacksonville. The fact that the plant is located here is a distinct advantage to the adjacent farming community as a ready market is thus available for all classes of livestock.

PUBLIC SALE.

Remember A. J. Barber's sale Feb. 14th at 10 a. m. at the John Duffner farm, 7 miles southwest of Jacksonville. Horses, cat's, hogs and implements and 1000 hedge posts.

KROEGER PRAISES CITY FOR INTEREST IN MUSIC

Five Hundred Hear Well Known Composer Saturday Afternoon at Woman's College—Speaks on Community Art to Interested Audience at Library Saturday Evening

"The American nation is growing in love of music and more and more does one find cities where the artistic taste is sound and the popular appreciation of musical art on the steady increase," said Ernest R. Kroeger, celebrated composer, speaking to a representative audience of music students last evening at the public library, encouraging Jacksonville people for their solid support of all things musical and opening to his hearers a vista of possibility which would make this city a leader in true communal art. Mr. Kroeger was told of Illinois centennial plans and of Jacksonville's intended part in this memorable observance. The composer gave the idea his hearty endorsement, calling attention to the large role which music plays in any such celebration and recommending that local music-lovers attend some large-scale concert and glean ideas for the basis of such observance in Jacksonville.

In the afternoon Mr. Kroeger pleased an audience of five hundred members of the Woman's club and guests with a lecture recital on "The Emotional and Picturesque in Music" perhaps the most instructive and interesting presentation of the kind ever made in the city. The same lecture has been given by Mr. Kroeger to a convention of the National Association of Music Teachers in New York City.

The lecture recital, given at Music Hall, Illinois Woman's college, was given under auspices of the music committee of the club, of which Mrs. Henry N. Stearns is chairman. In the perfecting of arrangements Mrs. Stearns was ably assisted by Miss Lulu D. Hay, Miss Anne W. Jackson, Mrs. C. H. Stammelkamp and Miss Lydia M. Barrette.

To go into the afternoon program number by number, would be beyond the present bounds of time and space. Suffice it to say that no one, however small or great his musical proficiency might be, came away from the lecture without a keener sense of the true and the beautiful, a heightened degree of musical perception and a stronger realization of what great stores of strength and inspiration this art contains for each one.

The afternoon will long be remembered by members of the club as one of the most profitable ever enjoyed. Mr. Kroeger's appearance in Jacksonville marked a distinct advance in the musical life of the city.

TWO—PIANO RECITAL.

Edith M. Robinson, Carl F. L. Jensen, Music Hall, 1 W. C., Tues. eve., Feb. 13, 8:15 p. m.

BANKRUPTCY PETITION

J. B. Roach, who has been conducting a furnace and repair shop in Waverly, Saturday filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the federal court in Springfield. His liabilities are scheduled at \$1,848.12 and assets at \$416. Of this latter amount \$400 is said to be exempt.

Floyd Lashmet, Illinois College student, is spending the week end at his home in Manchester.

HAY WANTED AT THE

The Jacksonville State Hospital wants 40 tons of No. 1 clover or alfalfa hay at once. Proposals on which to make bids on furnishing any part of the above can be secured by addressing E. L. Hill, managing officer.

THE ANDRE & ANDRE
21st Semi-Annual sale has proven to be far reaching in results—the underpricing of High Grade merchandise have made the values more remarkable than ever before—truly—"The best place to trade, after all."

Miss Lena Kaylor spent the week end with her parents at Baylis.

JUDGE KIRBY UNDERGOES SERIOUS OPERATION

Amputation of Leg Necessary to Relieve Gangrenous Condition

Judge Edward P. Kirby was taken to Passavant hospital Saturday where in the afternoon his right leg was amputated above the knee. Last night the patient's condition was reported as being as favorable as could be expected after such a serious operation. Dr. Black had called in consultation Dr. Charles L. Mix, a Chicago specialist, and it was determined that the operation offered the only means of prolonging Judge Kirby's life. He had been ill for about three weeks past and the condition which demanded the operation was the result of diabetic gangrene. Dr. Black performed the operation about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

Notwithstanding the effort made by some consumers to decrease consumption, the supply in the west side reservoir is now the lowest known for many months. The gauge yesterday showed water down 106 inches below the overflow. This means the reservoir is only one-third full. Do not be deceived into thinking that no emergency exists. Unless greater economy is immediately shown or some relief comes thru rain it will be necessary to shut off many consumers tomorrow or Tuesday.

Joshua Vasconcellos, Commissioner of Public Property.

WOODSON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

An excellent program has been laid out for the all-day meeting at Woodson Christian church and the numbers announced for last week and postponed on account of weather, will all be included. The Rev. W. H. Oldham will preach both forenoon and afternoon. The basket dinner will be served at 12 o'clock and after that there will be a business meeting.

\$6.50 NEW SPRING SAMPLE MILLINERY, \$2.98.
THE EMPORIUM.

JACKSONVILLE MINISTERS

AT STATE CAPITOL
Rev. J. F. Langton, pastor of Trinity Episcopal church returned last night from Springfield where he has been acting as chaplain of the Illinois House of Representatives the past week.

Another Jacksonville minister will serve as chaplain in the senate the coming week. Rev. R. B. Wilson, pastor of State Street church, Rev. Mr. Wilson will go to Springfield tomorrow and will be there practically every day during the week.

SECOND WEEK.

of the Andre & Andre 21st Semi-Annual Sale your opportunity to save 1-10 to 1-2. See display ad on page 12.

WINCHESTER

Miss Jennie Dugan left Saturday noon for a visit in Meredosha.

Mrs. Charles Moses and daughter, Miss Callie Moses, left Friday for a visit with relatives in Goodhouse. Saturday forenoon from Iowa. Mrs. Waller will remain for a visit of two weeks and then will join her husband in Macon, Mo., where they will make their home.

Mrs. George Bowman of Alsos was a visitor here Saturday.

Miss Elsie Lyon engaged in teaching near Montezuma, is visiting home friends.

M. B. Edmonson of Clayton is visiting relatives here.

Miss Susie O'Donnell, who has been ill for the past few weeks, was taken Saturday for treatment at Our Savior's hospital, Jacksonville.

Joe Stroppe came Saturday morning from Pekin for a short Winchester visit.

Thomas Lashmet, who has been visiting his parents, will return Sunday to his home in East Prairie, Mo.

Harry Stewart, Henry Hargis and Otis Hamilton motored to Jacksonville Saturday in Mr. Hargis' car.

Dr. George C. Brengle was a visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

Mrs. B. T. Smith, Miss Sybil Smith, Mrs. E. J. Frost and Miss Louise Frost entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Smith.

Five hundred was played and the hours sped by all too swiftly. After an ideal social evening, delicious refreshments were served and the guests departed with many words of compliment for the abundant hospitality extended.

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NEW SPRING BLOUSES,
NEW SPRING MILLINERY
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WILL HAVE VALENTINE

BANQUET
Jacksonville Aerie No. 509 is arranging for a big banquet on the evening of St. Valentine's day to honor Fred W. Doht who is serving his thirteenth year as secretary of the aerie. The banquet will follow the business session and it is expected that a number of visitors will

be present among them Worthy State Vice President Frank Sullivan of Chicago.

Worthy President Frank D. Kelly will have an important matter to present to the aerie and amendments to the bylaws will also come up for consideration. It is also expected that steps will be taken to ask the Grand Worthy President for a special dispensation for a big booster campaign for membership.

OVERLAND CAR OWNERS.

Now is the time to have your car looked over for spring. No charge. J. P. Claus Overland Co., the Home of the Overland.

Miss Marie Megginson of Woodson paid the city a shopping visit yesterday.

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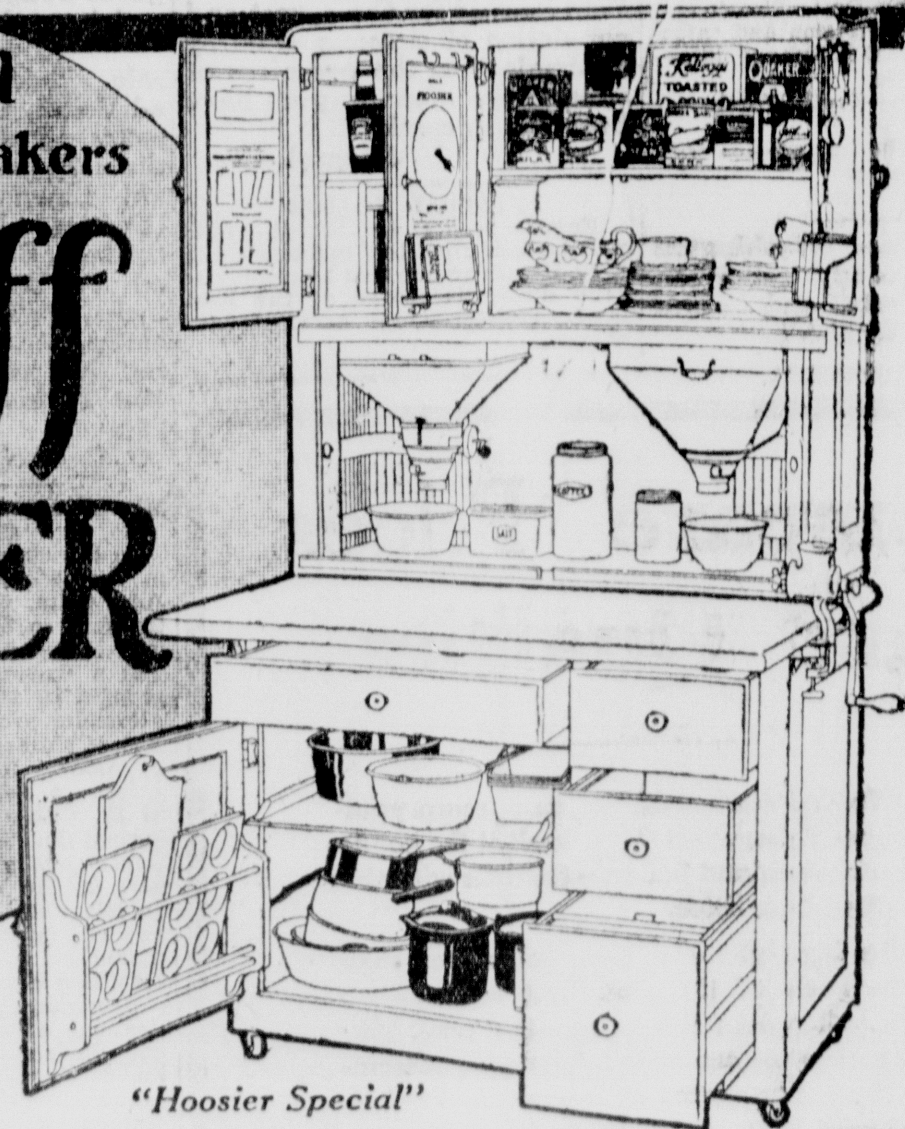
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We Save You a Dollar a Minute

It won't take you over five minutes to decide when you see this unbeatable bargain. And in that five minutes you save \$5.

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The East Side House Furnishers

No More After These

These cabinets are fresh from the factory, glistening new and splendidly equipped. But the number is positively limited. If all are taken tomorrow that ends the price reduction. The next lot must be sold at the regular price.

Hoosier prices are fixed prices—fixed at the factory. And never before have we or any other store in America been able to make a cut like this.

But now—as an extra February drawing card—we have secured the maker's consent to the unparalleled reduction of \$5 from the standard price of the "Hoosier Special." We stand part and the maker stands part.

THE STORE OF BETTER SHOES



Hoppers Bargain Counter

Are offering some splendid bargains in Women's Shoes. Considering present leather values these are exceptional bargains. Good serviceable Shoes, not fancy, but plain and substantial that will do good service.

Special Bargain Counter Lots

\$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.15 and \$3.85

If you really want women's Shoes at a saving, this is the only opportunity of the season.

UNDERTAKERS WILL HOLD TWO DAYS SESSION

Will Listen to Several Addresses on Interesting Themes.

H. G. Kirkpatrick of Bluffs, secretary of the Illinois State Undertakers association was in the city Saturday arranging for a booster meeting to be held in this city March 6 and 7.

A number of district meetings will be held through the state preliminary to the state meeting which will be held in Rock Island June 5, 6 and 7. The headquarters for the meeting will be at the Pacific hotel. The following program is outlined for the occasion:

March 6.
11 a. m.—Invocation, Dr. F. A. McCarty.
Address of Welcome—Mayor Rodgers.

Response—H. M. Kilpatrick, secretary Illinois State Undertakers' Association.

2 p. m.—Legal points for undertakers—State's Attorney Carl E. Robinson.

Lecture and demonstration—Professor A. O. Worham.

7:30 p. m.—Picture show.

March 7.
Demonstration—Prof. Worham.
2:00 p. m.—Contagion and infection and Fraternal insurance law—Dr. Edward Rowe.

Demonstration—Prof. Worham.
Round table.

Program will be interspersed with music and speeches.

Adjournment.
Valentine and Washington favors in candy cherries, hatchets, hearts and small cases at MERRIGAN'S.

ATTEMPT MADE TO FIRE RESIDENCE

Timely Discovery Prevented Loss from Incendiary Flames at William Triplett Home.

Saturday evening while all of the family were away from home someone attempted to set fire to the residence of William Triplett the Pacific Hotel barber who resides at 432 South West street.

The parties went to the rear of the residence and tore off some weather-boarding and saturated the woodwork with coal oil. Neighbors discovered it and extinguished the flames before they gained headway.

For several months Mr. Triplett has been bothered with someone trying to break into his house. On one occasion entrance was gained but nothing of value was secured. At another time a lady who was visiting the family was badly frightened when she stepped out on the back porch by having a man appear suddenly and trying to grab her. The police were notified Saturday evening and went to the Triplett residence but could find no clue to the identity of the parties.

\$10.00 REWARD
Will be paid for the arrest and conviction of persons stealing Journals from the premises of subscribers after papers have been left by carriers.

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FUNERAL NOTICE
Funeral services for Joseph Wells will be held from the residence 121 East Morton avenue this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. E. L. Fletcher pastor of Centenary church.

MISS BAUMANN ANSWERS THE DEATH SUMMONS

Deceased Faithful City Employee in Five Administrations—Mrs. Cavender Dies After Three Years Illness—The Death Record.

Miss Louise B. Baumann died at Our Saviors hospital Saturday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock after an illness of only a few days. Miss Baumann was taken ill several weeks ago while visiting her sister in Pittsburg, Kans. Upon her return she was not feeling well she assumed her duties in the city water department. About a week ago she was compelled to give up her work. Since that time she has grown steadily worse. She was removed to Our Saviors hospital last Wednesday. On Thursday her condition changed for the worse and she gradually grew weaker until the end finally came.

Deceased was the daughter of Basil B. and Nellie M. Baumann and was born and reared in this city. She received her education in the parochial school, the Jacksonville high school and later supplemented this with a business course at Brown's business college.

Her first employment was in the office of Nathan Buckingham, architect. She left that position to take a position in the law office of Judge Herbert G. Whitlock and later entered the real estate office of F. L. Hargrove.

Miss Baumann was working in that office when Charles H. Widmayer was elected mayor in 1907. Mayor Widmayer appointed her stenographer at the city hall. Soon afterward she became bookkeeper in the water department which position she held at the time of her death. During her stay at the city hall she served under five different mayors, Messrs. Widmayer, Bahr, Bancroft, Davis and Rodgers.

The city never had a more conscientious employee than Miss Baumann. Day after day she could be found at her desk. She was devoted to her work and gave the best of her energies to all her tasks.

She was genial and whole souled and numbered her friends by the score in the business world. She won and held the highest esteem of her co-workers at the city hall and her services will be sadly missed by them.

Miss Baumann was a devoted member of the Church of Our Savior and a member of Jacksonville Council No. 494 Knights and Ladies of Security.

Besides her mother, Mrs. Nellie Hopper she is survived by the following sisters, Mrs. Nellie B. Kehoe, Barbenton, Ohio; Mrs. George W. Sorrells and Miss May Baumann of this city. She also is survived by two half sisters, Mrs. A. L. Brumley of Chicago, Mrs. J. H. Baker of Topeka, Kans. and one half brother, William M. Hopper of this city.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FEBRUARY WHITE GOODS SALE.

Our annual February White Goods Sale starts Monday morning with the largest line of White Goods ever shown by this house, priced at prices of goods bought six months since and from these prices a liberal reduction will be made for this sale. Plain, striped and checked Voiles, Organdies, Marquises, Palm Beach, Gabardines, Piques, Lyklins, Emerald Lawns, Box Nainsooks, Dimities, Poplins, American Suitings, Basket Weaves, Corded Poplins, Suitings, Dotted Swiss, Pajama Checks, Longcloths, etc. Very special during this sale. 25 dozen large 35c Turkish Bath Towels at 25c.

C. C. Phelps Dry Goods Co.

MR. RUBIE LOSES IN CIRCUIT COURT SUIT

In the circuit court at Springfield in the suit of A. J. Rubie against John Cohn, Judge Jones instructed the jury to bring in a verdict finding the defendant not guilty. This was a damage suit for \$5,000 brought by Mr. Rubie who lives in Alexander precinct, and was the result of his arrest at the instance of Mr. Cohn. It seems that Cohn had agreed to sell his furniture store to Mr. Rubie and R. G. Kindred of Springfield. In the transaction Mr. Rubie gave a note to Mr. Cohn as part of the consideration. Subsequently Cohn became fearful Rubie was not financially responsible and caused his arrest on a charge of practicing a confidence game. Subsequently the case was settled out of court as it developed that the note signed by Mr. Rubie was good and that he was financially responsible to the extent that he had represented.

JAMES MYERS BUYS DODGE BROS. CAR

Yesterday James Myers of Murrayville placed an order with Babbs & Gibbs for a Dodge 5 passenger touring car for early spring delivery.

IS AT THE PACIFIC HOTEL.

G. Roy Scott, who has been manager of the Hotel Douglas has been secured by Manager George W. Scott as clerk at the New Pacific hotel and has already entered on his duties. The growing business of the Pacific makes additional help necessary and Mr. Scott will be a desirable man as he has a wide acquaintance among the traveling public.

Frank Markille who has been collector for the Journal Company for the past three years has resigned. He will leave this week for Kansas City where he has secured a good position with the Keith Furniture company.

WATER SITUATION NOW MORE ACUTE

Reservoir on College Hill Only One Third Full—Supply Considerably Decreased Saturday—Economy of Part of Consumers Absolutely Necessary.

The water shortage situation is now more acute than at any day the past week. Commissioner Vasconcellos stated last night that the gauge at the reservoir in the west part of the city showed that the water level is 106 inches below the overflow. The situation is that the reservoir now contains one third of the capacity. The reservoir will hold approximately 2,700,000 gallons instead of that amount there is now in storage about 900,000 gallons.

Big Decrease Saturday

Mr. Vasconcellos is at a loss to account for the big decrease in the supply Saturday, for with the schools closed and a number of business enterprises shut down for the afternoon, he expected to gain instead of lose. The commissioner said last night that unless there is some radical change on the part of consumers and a very decided effort made to use less water, that hardship is certain early in the week. It will be necessary, unless rain comes or unless greater economy is exercised, to cut off many consumers tomorrow or next day. The public schools will be among the first to be cut off as the daily consumption of water at each building is quite large.

The Wabash road having been notified that Jacksonville could no longer furnish water, is now hauling water here from Mercedon and filling the large well just north of the Wabash tracks near Church street. That the water shortage is not confined to this city is indicated by the fact that the Wabash is already hauling water to Clayton, Mayville, Berlin and Janesville and will begin hauling to Bluffs the coming week. The same condition holds true with the Chicago & Alton and the Burlington road, the management finding it necessary to haul water to a number of stations where the supply has previously been obtainable from city water plants or from storage reservoirs.

Favors More Storage at Lake

Mr. Vasconcellos while believing that additional wells should be sunk at the north side station and the supply increased there is also strongly in favor of securing greater storage capacity at Morgan lake. It seems that he looks with favor on the plan mentioned in yesterday's Journal as suggested by Edward Brown, for an additional embankment north of the one now holding the water in Morgan lake. Several days since when a party of city officials inspected the lake property Mr. Vasconcellos pointed out the matter of this additional storage plan and also referred to it at the conference held at the city hall Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Vasconcellos' belief is that this additional storage by the building of the embankment could be secured without great cost and with the water filtering thru the present dam the quality would be greatly improved. Several days ago Mr. Vasconcellos put engineers at work surveying for the proposed improvement. After he has the data he will draw plans and see whether or not the plan is feasible.

In a further effort to impress upon consumers the necessity for rigid economy Commissioner Vasconcellos has visited many of them. His idea is that by explaining the situation personally and calling attention to the danger thru water famine, that more heed will be given. His first idea was to supplement newspaper notices with letters but he subsequently decided that the personal calls would be the most satisfactory.

J. D. Benson, North Side Cafe, Chicken dinner Today, 25c.

HORSE BROKE LEG IN FALL

Alex Currier of the buckhorn neighborhood had a horse fall and break its left front leg on South Main street Saturday evening. Mr. Currier was on his way home. When near the street car south switch he met a street car. The horse shied at the car and slipped on some ice and fell. The animal was taken to a nearby barn and Dr. C. S. Scott was called. It is hoped that the horse will not have to be shot, as it is a valuable animal.

VALENTINES! VALENTINES!
You should see the unique line at Lane's Book Store.

EPWORTH LEAGUE ENTERTAINMENT

The Epworth League of Grace M. E. church will give the annual students' social in the church parlors Monday evening at 7:30. It will be a measurement entertainment, one cent for each foot in height and each tractive thereof. Refreshments will be served and a pleasant time is anticipated.

\$17.50 NEW SPRING SAMPLE COATS, ALL THE NEW SHADES, \$10.98.
THE EMPORIUM.

BROOKLYN COMMITTEE NAMED
Dr. Gibbs, field secretary of the M. E. endowment campaign, met with the official board of Brooklyn church Friday evening. Plans for the work were discussed and the following committee was appointed to co-operate with the pastor: T. B. Reeve, W. J. Brown, C. A. Boruff, J. A. Walters, and Frank Bourn.

Men's SWEATER COATS
can be bought of FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store this week at a guaranteed saving of next fall's prices.

Miss Vivian Boston, 125 Pine street will return the first of the week from Springfield, where she is visiting. Last week Miss Boston underwent a tonsillar operation at the sanitarium of Dr. Prince.

These Are the Men Who Make Clothing Cost More



THE millions of fighting men of Europe are wearing part of the wool which ordinarily goes into your clothes, and their garments are burned every few weeks for sanitary reasons. This has caused an alarming shortage of wool in the world. England has placed an embargo on all wool besides buying millions of dollars' worth of wool and woollens from America.

Many woolen mills are closing down because they are unable to get Australian wool. We have taken the unusual precaution to have all our spring shipments arrive during January and the early part of February. Also a large part of staple lines for next fall and winter are now in our possession stored in our surplus stock rooms, so as to insure our patrons the very best merchandise at a minimum cost.

We urge you to come in now to supply your needs for Suits, Overcoats and winter wearables for present needs or future use at the remarkably good values at which you can obtain them now.

War trophies direct from battlefields of Europe on display in our west window.

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New Spring Dresses

The dresses in this remarkable assortment consist of beautiful serges poplins, crepe de chins, taffetas, georgette crepe and other high class luxurious materials. The fashions portray unusual tone of style and distinction and many attractive trimmings add to their beauty. Come in all colors at

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The New Spring Neckwear

New Spring Neckwear—Complete assortments of the latest fashions in women's Neckwear, Embroidered Collars, in georgette, crepe de chins, fine net, organdie or broadcloth. Also collar and cuff sets, crepe de chine bows. These Collars are popularly priced—much lower than if we had to buy at present market prices. Specially priced at 50c to \$1.50.

The New Spring Veils

Novelty Veils, circular Veils, squares, novelty drapes, chiffon Veils, in fact complete assortments and at very moderate prices.

Did You

See our charming new spring Gingham, Silks, Chiffons, Trimmings, Georgette Crepes, Etc? They are all ready.

West Side Square

West Side Square

Compare Prices and Qualities

We are confident we can secure your business if you will take a look at the goods on our shelves and become familiar with the prices and qualities.

Buying right and then selling for cash is the basis of the excellent business we have built up in a few months' time. By this means we are able to give our customers "better groceries at lower prices" than otherwise. Book accounts and bad accounts all add to the cost of doing business.

If you have not tried this store in these days when economy is necessary, why not this week?

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Your Opportunity —In— CURTAINS

We offer this week in patterns of yard goods—Marquesette, Scrim and Net at a reduction of $\frac{1}{4}$ from regular prices.

65 cent Material, at per yard 49c
50 cent Material, at per yard 34c
35 cent Material at per yard 24c

These are new Spring Patterns both in white and ecru, and the price means an actual saving of one-fourth from regular price.

This Offer for This Week Only

Double S. & H. Trading Stamps

On purchases of over \$2.00 Curtain Material under this offer Double Stamps will be given.

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DENY CHARGES OF ILL- TREATMENT IN ARMY

British Army Authorities Claim Ob-
jectors to Military Service are Not
Subjected to Violence—Problem is
Difficult to Deal With.

London, Feb. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press)—Charges that conscientious objectors to military service have received violent treatment are believed by the army authorities to be ill-founded, and it is declared by Brigadier-General Childs, director of personal services of the war office, that if there has been any such violence it has now ceased.

"Undoubtedly," he said, "in many camps there was rough treatment in a degree at the hands of their comrades but it is a matter of question whether it was actually violent, and the problem before the war office was to put a stop to it."

"I can say that the last case of alleged ill-treatment which came to the notice of the war office was in August, 1916. I can say that every kind of ill-treatment, irregularity, or brutality, if there were any, has ceased."

General Childs referred to resolutions which various societies of Friends (Quakers) in America had passed in protest against the way conscientious objectors were treated and in reply he showed at length that all genuine objectors enrolled in the army not only enjoyed the legal protection to which the soldier was entitled, but that they also had the right to appeal to the highest civil tribunal.

The whole problem has been one of the most delicate with which the army authorities have had to deal, but gradually they have solved some of the most difficult phases of it. The Non-Combatant Corps, which is composed of men whose objection is the taking of life, has never been so situated as regards the fighting front that the members of it would ever be called upon to take the lives of others or defend their own, said General Childs.

He referred to a statement that had been made in a recent article, to the effect that thirty-six conscientious objectors who were taken to France were condemned to death for disobeying orders. Certain units of the Non-Combatant Corps were sent to France for road-making, he said, but their work was miles away from the front. At the time of their departure it was not known to the war office in London that any of these men had been resisting. "They were forcibly taken to France," but "had this been known at the war office these objectors would have been tried at once in England. It was not until they had reached France and absolutely refused to do anything in the way of helping with the war, that their disobedience and insubordination was dealt with by a field general court-martial. The severe sentence which that court proposed, however, was not confirmed by the general officer commanding-in-chief the forces in the field, who commuted the sentence to ten years penal servitude. The men were thereupon sent to England, and very shortly their cases were taken before the central tribunal which has to do with military exemption. With one exception all were transferred to the army reserve. One man refused to work and that man is still in prison."

**\$12.50 NEW SPRING SAMPLE COATS, \$5.98.
THE EMPORIUM.**

WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES

Dr. Jesse S. Dancy of Chicago, who has been at the College in charge of the week of prayer services, left for Chicago Friday night. While at the college he was fortunate in coming in close touch with many of the students, as well as members of the faculty. The service on Thursday was especially helpful and was attended by many outside friends.

The Junior-Sophomore Essay contest has been postponed until February 26th. This contest is held annually, and is made possible by the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rowe, who have established a fund for the payment of prizes both in the delivery of original essays and in declamation. The declamation contest will take place later in the second semester.

Thursday afternoon at 4:15 in Music Hall will occur a recital in the Expression Department. In the evening at 8:15 will occur the piano recital by Miss Robinson and Mr. Jensen.

A number of the students attended the Kroeger recital which was held under the auspices of the Woman's club in Music Hall Saturday afternoon.

SHOE SHINING PARLOR

East Morgan street. Shoe shining, parlor, 5 cts., Howard Snyder, Nick Kragos. Hats blocked, cleaned and repaired. Candy and cigars.

THOUGHT HE WAS A BURGLAR

A day or two since a prominent resident of the west part of the second ward returned home unexpectedly and was unable to gain admission to his house or raise anybody. Going to a neighbor he secured a stepladder, hammer and chisel and proceeded to try to work his way into the dwelling.

His family saw without recognizing him but fearing for their lives if they confronted him they stole quietly down and summoned the police. A quick run was made just as the gentleman succeeded in getting into the house and then hearing footsteps below he too gave an alarm and his family recognizing his voice at once sought him and had things explained. He says as a burglar he doesn't regard himself a success. As for his family, well, they are saying nothing.

SERMON ON ABRAHAM LINCOLN

In accordance with his usual custom Res. R. O. Post D. D. will deliver at the Congregational church this morning an address on Abraham Lincoln and the effort of the reverend gentleman will certainly be well worth hearing.

WILL GIVE LECTURE ON LIFE OF LUTHER

Seventy-four Stereopticon Views will
Be Shown Tonight by Rev. J. G.
Kuppler at Salem Church.

This evening at Salem Evangelical Lutheran church the Rev. J. G. Kuppler will give an illustrated lecture on the life of Dr. Martin Luther and the Reformation in Germany. Seventy-four stereopticon slides will be shown, illustrating the principal events in the life of Luther from his infancy to the Diet at Worms. Among these will be Luther's birthplace and parents in Eisleben, Saxony; Luther in school at Mansfeld, Magdeburg and Eisenach; his singing for bread and reception in Frau Cotta's house; Luther at the university of Erfurt; his finding of the Bible; farewell from his friends, and entrance into the St. Augustine cloister. Then follows a portrayal of his life as a monk, his ordination to the priesthood and call as professor at the university of Wittenberg. Then will be shown scenes of Luther's trip to Rome, his promotion to doctor of divinity and the sale of indulgences by John Tetzel. Following this are the nailing of Luther's 95th thesis against the church door of Wittenberg, Oct. 31, 1517; Luther and Cardinal Cajetan, the Leipzig Disputation, burning of the Papal bull, Emperor Charles V, the Diet at Worms, 1521, and Luther before the Diet.

In view of the quadricentennial of the Reformation in October of this year, the Lutheran church the world over is making great preparation for this event. These lectures are intended to educate the people on the great issues which brought about the Reformation. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

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WHICH WE WILL CLOSE
OUT VERY REASONABLY.
J. HERMAN.**

COLLEGE OF MUSIC

The extreme cold weather of last Sunday kept many at home who otherwise would have attended the Vesper Organ Recital given by Mr. Stearns, Miss Lazelle assisting, on Sunday afternoon Feb. 4. The program was a Mendelssohn commemoration occurring as it did on the day after the anniversary of his birth. There was a goodly attendance from the school. The program in detail follows:

Sonata for Organ No. 1 in F minor
Allegro Moderato, Andante,
Adagio Allegro Vivace
Mr. Stearns

Aria, "Hear Ye Israel" from the Elijah
Miss Lazelle
Song without Words No. 27 "Funeral March"
Nocturne from "Midsummer Night's Dream"
Song Without Words No. 39, "Spring Song"

Mr. Stearns
Oh, for the Wings of a Dove
Miss Lazelle
War March of the Priests from "Athalia"

Mr. Stearns
Misses Virginia Snively, Sara Deitrick, Mayme Kennedy and Edith Hillerby of the College of Music who gave a concert at Concord last Saturday evening met with a most enthusiastic reception. The concert was successful in every particular and the young artists were invited to visit Concord again.

The concert in Beardstown at the Congregational church which was to have occurred last Sunday evening was postponed on account of the intense cold weather and will be given this Sunday evening. Among those from the College of Music appearing on the program are Mr. Milton Angier violinist, Miss Mary Violet soprano and Miss Winifred Sale, organist and accompanist.

The recital of compositions for two pianos by Miss Edith Robinson and Mr. Carl E. L. Jensen will occur next Tuesday evening at 8:15 o'clock in music hall. This is a type of concert work which we hear too seldom. An interesting program has been prepared and an enjoyable evening is promised.

The enrollment for the second semester at the College of Music shows a gratifying increase. All of the instructors are busy and the department is thronging with students.

The solo at the week of prayer service on Thursday morning was sung by Miss Rena Lazelle. Miss Lazelle chose "A Song of Faith" by Galbraith and the sentiments and words and music fitted in admirably with the discourse.

OVERLAND CAR OWNERS.

Now is the time to have your car looked over for spring. No charge. J. F. Claus Overland Co., the Home of the Overland.

CAR NEARLY BURNED

James G. Strawn is heartily thanking the man who sold him a chemical fire extinguisher for his Mitchell car. Yesterday morning a mechanic was working at the machine in Mr. Strawn's garage when by some means the gasoline about the floor took fire and was rapidly conveying the flame to the tank. Fortunately Mr. Strawn had in a car a hand chemical extinguisher which he managed to get out without being burned and with it quickly subdued the flames. The car was considerably damaged but Mr. Strawn is very thankful that it was no worse.

REBEKAHS NOTICE

The annual roll call of Caritas Rebekah lodge No. 625 will occur Thursday, Feb. 15. Members may bring guests. All Rebekahs invited. Program and refreshments.

WILL BEGIN DUTIES TUESDAY

J. E. Scott who recently was appointed deputy in the office of Circuit Clerk Charles W. Boston, will enter upon his duties there Tuesday. Mr. Scott previously held a position in the office and is therefore familiar with the duties of the office.

C. R. McMillan of Quincy was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Unexpected Delivery Made

In January 1916, more than a year ago, we purchased 200 pairs of

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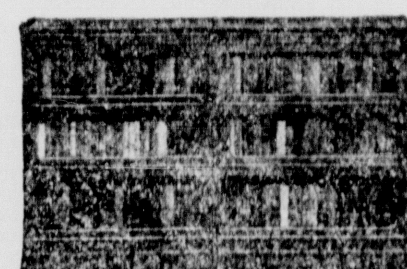
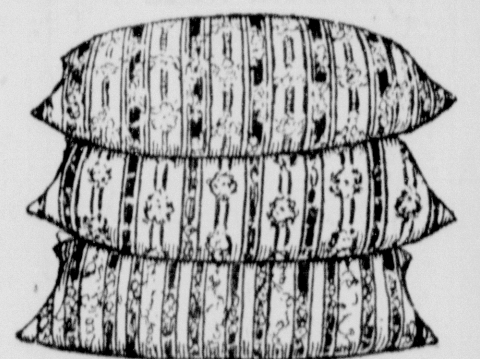


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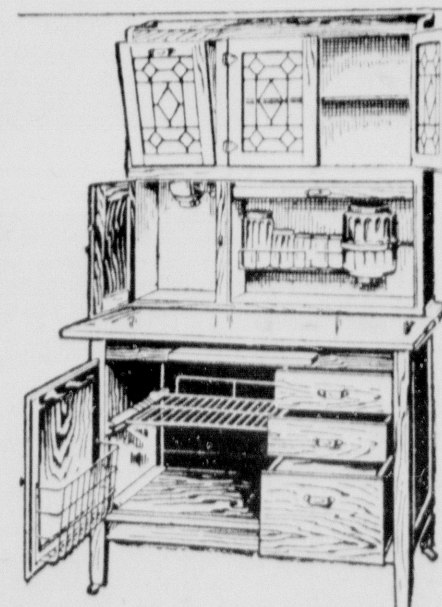
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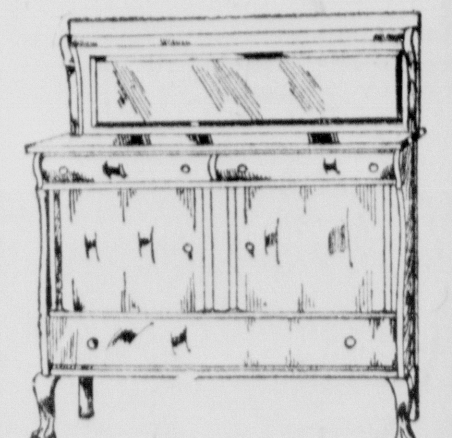
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SPORT NOTES

The world's champion Red Sox were pleased to learn that "Rube" Marquard had signed with the Brooklyn Robins for the coming season.

Having disposed of their surplus talent and with few of their regulars signed, the St. Louis Cardinals appear to be up against a stone wall.

Headline says: "Cincinnati Players Not in Sympathy With Strike." Evidently the Reds do not believe in giving that which they never receive.

Now that the Mackmen have been for-

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Have a dandy Mission LIBRARY TABLE and some bargains in ROCKERS

Buy Everything Sell Everything

Have Everything 225 S. Main. Both phones 436

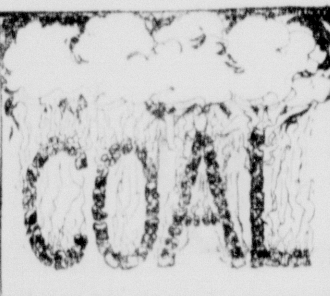
We teach watches to tell the truth

If your watch can't be depended upon bring it in and let our expert repair man put it in first class condition.

Jewelry made to look like new.

No charges unless we do.

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RIVERTON COAL BURNS WELL

It burns freely
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It burns—all of it—to a fine ash.

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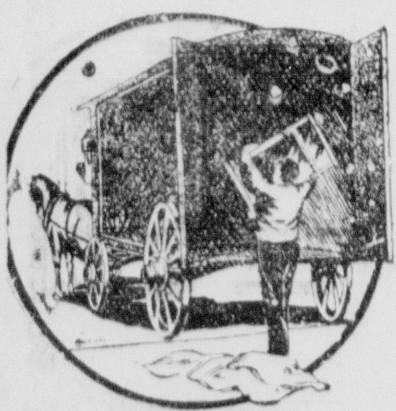
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bidden to play golf the coming season, they have been denied indulgence in the only game in which they were adept.

The Pacific Coast league clubs have decided to try out new talent in the future, instead of signing so many major league cast-offs as they have done in the past.

Pitcher Walter Johnson has lost none of his speed, as evidenced by his recent time-beating performance in getting out of the water after breaking through Kansas river ice.

President Putz of the Baseball Players' Fraternity says the American association players will not sign until given the money in regard to last season's players Milwaukee fans hope the word will be lost.

Manager Bill Donovan of the New York Yankees appears to have uttered the right guess when he said the American league would witness a tight race this year. Boston, Detroit and Chicago will make good Bill's prediction.

Washington's acquisition of Sam Crane the sensational young Baltimore shortstop means that the veteran George McBride will have to step some to hold his job.

Fred Mitchell, the new boss of the Cubs, says he doesn't want a player on his team who hasn't sense enough to take care of himself. It is plain to see that the National league player limit is going to prove a handicap for "Mitch."

Both Boston shortstops, Maranville of the Braves and Scott of the Red Sox, want more dollars than they received last season. The "Rabbit" threw down a fancy wage last year, but believes an increase is due him. With Scott it's a case of fattening what he terms a rather lean salary.

Whether Honus Wagner was influenced in his decision to strike is not known, but shortly after the marriage of the Pirate Star emphatic word came from Pittsburgh that Henry would take no part in the threatened walk-out.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Two more members of the Chicago Nationals, First baseman Fred Mollwitz and Catcher Howard Elliott signed contracts today. Mollwitz was purchased from the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast League last fall.

President Verghman plans to leave for New York tomorrow night to attend the National League meeting there Tuesday and to arrange a possible trade.

Valentine and Washington favors in candy, cherries, hatchets, hearts and small cases at MERRIGAN'S.

TO RESUME ANNUAL COURT PERIOD

Budapest, Hungary, Feb. 10.—After the war Budapest is to have what it has not had in many a decade, a regular and extended court period each year.

Count Tisza has explained to a committee of Parliament that the new Kaiser, who is King Karl IV. of Hungary, authorizes the announcement that he plans to spend a not inconsiderable portion of each year in Budapest and in Hungary. The King also plans to have his eldest son, the crown prince, educated in part in Hungary.

The announcement means that not only Vienna but Budapest will once more come back into the crown, and that both of them, with a young emperor and empress, or king and queen, as the case may be, will after long years be the centers of brilliant court life.

J. E. Morris of Franklin made a business trip to the city yesterday.

EAT BIG MEALS! NO SOUR, ACID STOMACH INDIGESTION OR GAS

"Pape's Diapepsin" is Quickest, Surest Stomach Relief Known—Try It.

Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will sweeten a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heart-burn, that is usually a sign of acidity of the stomach.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heart-burn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches or dizziness. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin helps to neutralize the excessive acid in the stomach which is causing the food fermentation and preventing proper digestion.

Relief in five minutes is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to usually keep the entire family free from stomach acidity and its symptoms of indigestion, dyspepsia, sourness, gases, heartburn, and headache, for many months. It belongs in your home.—Adv.

ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Give it when feverish, cross, bilious, for bad breath or sour stomach.

Look at the tongue. Mother, if coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative," they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

DEFENDS ALLIES' CAUSE

White Hall, Ill., Feb. 8, 1917.
Editor Journal:

In your issue of today there appears an article by Mr. Fred Ashwood of Concord, Ill., to which I ask the opportunity of replying. I am a direct descendant of Capt. David Wendell, who served under Gen. Washington in the war of the Revolution and who lost his right arm at the battle of Germantown, Penn.

My grandfather, Daniel Finch Wendell, served against England in the war of 1812 and my father, Capt. W. H. Wendell, served during the whole period of the Civil war in the Union army. My ancestors settled in Connecticut and Massachusetts 250 years ago. I am an American in the fullest sense of the word. Germany has no free press. The constitution of the German empire contains no guarantee of personal liberty. The Reichstag and the imperial council are nothing but debating clubs.

About two months before the outbreak of the present conflict in Europe the Emperor William publicly said that he was not accountable to his people or to the Reichstag for his acts, that he was accountable to God only. This was the same as saying that the German empire is an absolute monarchy. The German empire is the only country in Europe that does not have a cabinet responsible to the legislative body and the people. The commonest guarantees of personal liberty do not exist in Germany. For instance there is no writ of habeas corpus, no security of domicile, person or goods, and no liberty of the press.

Every Englishman's house is his castle. No officer can enter it without a search warrant. Every guarantee of personal liberty in the constitution of this state and the United States is based on the common law of England. England has universal equal suffrage and the English king reigns not by divine right but by the will of the people. At least five English kings have been deposed by parliament in the last four hundred years, and none of them beheaded. The English king would dare to say what the Emperor William has repeatedly said about ruling by the will of God would be instantly deposed.

There is universal suffrage in Germany but not equal universal suffrage. In Germany every noble man has five votes and every nobleman's son has five votes. All the professional class and army officers have from three to five votes apiece, whereas the peasants and the laboring class only have one vote each. The educational system is similarly constructed. The son of a laboring man or a peasant can go no farther than the high school and even to enter that he may find great difficulty. The son of a peasant or a laboring man or merchant worth less than \$50,000 is specifically forbidden by law to even attempt to matriculate at any one of the German universities. The whole political and social life of Germany is built on an iniquitous system of class privilege.

So much power is lodged in the hands of the emperor and the imperial council that reform legislation has no opportunity of becoming law. The Emperor William is incomparably the ablest ruler in Europe. He is a many-sided character and has some wholly lovely and admirable qualities. He hates liberty with an intense hatred.

About two years before this war broke out he met Albert, king of Belgium at Cologne. At that time King Albert had recently signed a bill passed by the parliament of Belgium granting universal equal suffrage in Belgium. The Emperor William bitterly reproached King Albert for allowing it to become a law. He stated that every gun and bayonet at his command would be employed to see that the German people never secured the right of universal equal suffrage.

The Emperor William is just as dangerous to the liberty of Europe as the first Napoleon was. Were he to triumph over democracy by crushing England and France, the bleeding form of liberty would lie dead on the plains of Europe. Germany is behind all the rest of Europe in developing free institutions. The German people do not love liberty as Englishmen, Frenchmen and Americans love liberty. Their efficiency and inventive genius is of the highest order but Germany never produced the counter part of Oliver Cromwell, John Hampden, William Pitt, Mirabeau, George Washington or Abraham Lincoln. Germans have not had the spirit and the courage to strike down tyrants that English history is full of. Edward Bonnar law has set forth the great fact that England, as she did in the case of Napoleon, is simply fighting against a ruthless tyrant who hates liberty and who is seeking to found a despotism in the heart of Europe that shall crush liberty. There are slums in every German city as any traveler will tell you. There is the worst sort of poverty in Germany and a caste system of class privilege that no liberty loving people would endure for a moment.

E. L. Wendell.

NOTICE OF BIDS

Bids will be received by the directors of Unique school district No. 145 (East of Mercedia in Morgan county, Ill., for the erection of a new school house. Plans and specifications for the same may be seen at the Mercedia State Bank. Bids will be received up to 12 o'clock noon Saturday March 3rd, 1917. The Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the Board of Directors.

A. R. Hinners, Clerk.

Edward Hamman, Pres.

Isaac Watson of Woodson precinct was a visitor in the city yesterday. His friends will be pleased to learn that his health is much better than it has been for some time.

MAVERICKS

(After Shakespeare Several Centuries.)

To bathe or not to bathe. That is the question. Whether 'twere better to go unwashed And in a manner imitate The unspeakable Turk— Or perchance to bathe in Morgan lake And encase oneself in an armor of mud— Aye, there's the rub.

Thus do doctors and microbes Make cowards of us all.

The Quincy Herald in calling attention to an ordinance regarding the sweeping of chimneys carried a headline, "Inflamed Chimneys." We presume an inflamed chimney would be suffering from tonsillitis.

A bill has been introduced in the general assembly by Representative Cliftonberg of Chicago to prohibit women from smoking in cafes and other public places. We would suggest to Mr. Cliftonberg that it would be well to inaugurate a campaign of education among the women of Chicago for the women in other parts of the state are not guilty of such practice.

The water question is like Banquo's ghost. It will not go down.

Just after the doctors get thru telling us that cleanliness is one of the essentials of health along comes the commissioner of public property and tells us to bathe less often.

There promises to be a lot of talk about the water question if nothing comes of it.

And again the water question promises to be a dry subject if rain does not come soon.

The dispatches tell us that 100,000 club women offer their services to President Wilson. What chance would an army of mere men have if arrayed against these one hundred thousand women.

The dispatches tell us that King and Queen open parliament but a king and queen won't open a jack-pot.

Jacksonville seems to be nearly in that "bone dry" column at the present time.

Two sun dogs were seen in Peoria the other day. According to the Peoria Journal they were of dazzling brilliancy. It is said they are seldom seen in temperate regions which probably accounts for their appearance in Peoria.

An exchange headline referring to the arrival of General Pershing's column at the border says, "Perishing column reaches Columbus New Mexico."

The Kaiser gave Count Bernstorff the iron cross and President Wilson the double cross.

Carranza has sent his best wishes to the Kaiser. Carranza has been up against it so long he can readily sympathize with the German emperor.

Dispatches tell us that the future control of the Dardanelles is a great problem. Likewise we would say that the present control is also a great problem so far as the allies are concerned.

The dyes voted against an amendment to the state wide prohibition bill for Illinois prohibiting the manufacture of alcohol in any quantity and the sale of patent medicines that contain more than five per cent of alcohol. We imagine that medicine containing five per cent of alcohol will become popular when the nation goes dry.

It strikes some people that alcohol in whiskey hasn't got much on alcohol used in the manufacture of munitions when it comes to killing people.

WILL COLLECT TAXES MONDAY

Despite the fact that Monday is a legal holiday Deputy Sheriff B. C. Andrews will collect taxes in Litchberry. Owing to the illness of Sheriff Graft who is confined to his home with tonsillitis Mr. Andrews is anxious to complete the outside work before the rush begins in the office. He expects to visit Prentice Tuesday and Concord Wednesday which will complete the outside collections.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRL

Run-Down, Weak and Nervous—Made Strong by Vinol

For the benefit of Jacksonville school girls who overwork and get into highly nervous, weak and run-down condition, we publish this letter from Dorris Coplier, Fort Worth, Texas:

"I go to the high school and take music lessons, and became run-down, weak and very nervous, so I could not do anything. I would shake all over and could have screamed at times, and was really unfit to keep on with my studies. Mother purchased a bottle of Vinol for me and within a week I was better, and in two weeks I had gained five pounds and felt fine."

It is the curative, strengthening elements of beef and cod liver peptones, aided by the blood-making, revitalizing effect of iron and manganese peptones and glycerophosphates, contained in Vinol, which made it so successful in building up health and strength and overcoming the nervous condition of Miss Coplier, and we ask every school girl in Jacksonville who is in a like condition to try Vinol, on our guarantee to return their money if it fails to benefit.

Lee P. Alcott, druggist, Jacksonville and also at the leading drug stores in all Illinois towns.—Adv.

BASKETBALL AT THE "Y"

Saturday morning at the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium, two fast games of Basket Ball were played in the Junior A League, when the Marmon and the Buicks lined up against each other and the Studebaker and the Studebakers battled for honors. The Marmons and the Buicks played the ball all over the floor at a terrific rate, and the Buick team work was all that could be asked for but they could not shoot baskets and the Marmons romped away with the game 11 to 4. The game between the Studebakers and the Studebakers was nip and tuck all the way thru to the last when the Studebakers slipped into the lead and won 5 to 1.

Standing of the Teams:

| Team | P. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|
| Fords | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Marmons | 3 | 2 | 1 | .666 |
| Buicks | 3 | 1 | 2 | .333 |
| Studebakers | 3 | 0 | 3 | .000 |

More interest is growing in the Intermediate league. The last games were unusually good. The Mohawks took a full out of the Sioux to 11, while the Delawares 14 to 11.

Standing of the Teams:

| Team | P. | W. | L. | Pct. |
|-----------|----|----|----|------|
| Sioux | 4 | 3 | 1 | .750 |
| Mohawks | 4 | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Hudsons | 4 | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Delawares | 4 | 1 | 3 | .250 |

In the Junior B. Dutch Ball League the Americans stand 6 to 3 in the number of games played, while the Nationals stand 239 to the Americans 184 in the Attendance contest.

Plans are under way for the organization of a Sunday School Basket Ball League for young men. Regular Sunday school attendance will be the basis of competition, each player will have to attend his Sunday school at least three Sundays out of the month to be eligible to compete. Representatives from the different Sunday schools are asked to meet at the Y. M. C. A. Monday night at seven o'clock to perfect the organization, draw up the rules and transact the necessary business to get the League under way.

PUBLIC SALE.

Monday, Feb. 12th, at my farm one-fourth mile north of Lynnville and 8 miles southwest of Jacksonville, consisting of livestock and farm implements.

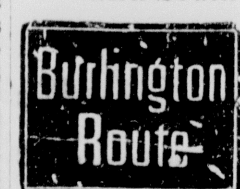
NO GAME AT FRANKLIN.

The scheduled basketball game between the Chatham Independents and Franklin failed to materialize Saturday evening at Franklin owing to some misunderstanding regarding the date of the game between the two teams. Franklin has several games scheduled, with the Springfield Speed Boys and Auburn, and hopes to get a game with the Cheyenne Indians, a traveling aggregation. However they are anxious to get more games and would especially like to get games with Chatham and Bluffs. They are willing to take on any teams that are looking for games.

Mrs. George Bates and Mrs. J. G. Mutch were city shoppers yesterday from Murrayville.

Are You Going South?

To the Land of Winter Sunshine, where cold is forgotten and summer pleasures mock the calendar. Golfing, bathing, motoring—all the exercise and recreation you crave, all the rest you seek. The next best thing to getting there is the pleasure of going there—if you take a Burlington-planned trip. Whether Florida every winter is a yearly custom, or you're experiencing it as a new joy—Burlington Service will add to the pleasures of the trip. Let's talk over your winter rest and pleasure plans. Low round trip Winter Excursion Tickets now on sale to Florida, West Indies, Gulf Coast points, Central and South America, and Texas.



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Start right and start now with the right remedy. A stick to it—Newbro's Herpicide.

Use Herpicide daily for a while, then three times a week will be sufficient. Watch the change which takes place in the condition of your hair and scalp.

The scalp is clean and free from dandruff. The hair looks strong and healthy and does not fall out. There is vigor and snap where before the hair was dead, dull and brittle. The itching which is so annoying stops and you enjoy a feeling of coolness and cleanliness hitherto unknown.

Any dealer will sell you Newbro's Herpicide either in 50 cent or \$1.00 size. It is guaranteed by The Herpicide Co. The first application will convince you that Newbro's Herpicide is the very thing for the hair. Its odor is delightful. Applications may be obtained at the better barber shops and hair dressing parlors.



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Linger up! Get a small trial bottle from your druggist, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic and sciatic pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer! "St. Jacobs Oil" has relieved millions of rheumatism sufferers in the last half century, and is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains and swellings.—Adv.

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Bronchitis too often leaves a severe racking cough that weakens the system and paves the way for such grave diseases as pleurisy and pneumonia. Sometimes there is a nervous hacking, worse on arising and at nightfall, that is especially wearing and should by all means be stopped promptly. Foley's Honey and Tar is exactly suited to these conditions. It directly affects the mucous lining of the throat, clearing it at once of hoarseness, removing the tickling phlegm and stopping the severe, racking cough. Coughs usually grow worse at nightfall and prevent the quiet rest so necessary to one weakened by a cold.

Chas. T. Miller, Ed. Connelton, Ind.,

FARM NOTES

COW SALE HELD
HERE SATURDAY

Car Load of Milk Stock from Randolph County Brought Fair Prices

Cows brought to Morgan county from Randolph county in the southern part of the state and owned by Preston & Rankin, were sold at the Packard barn Saturday afternoon. The auctioneer was J. E. Cox and the clerk was R. R. Stevenson. Most of the cows were Jerseys and prices were considered as quite satisfactory. Cash was paid in each instance after purchasers had the opportunity of term payments if they so desired. Among the sales were the following:

Jersey cow, R. R. Stevenson, \$71.
Jersey cow, Arthur Ornellas, \$62.
Jersey cow, Chris Horner, \$53.
Black cow, Chris Horner, \$39.
Brindle cow, Chris Horner, \$38.
Black cow, Charles Poland, \$74.
Black cow, J. J. Myers, \$48.
C. E. Frogge, \$39.
Jersey cow, David Evans, \$124.
Jersey heifer, Edward Barrows, \$75.
Red cow, H. Walbaum, \$80.
Black heifer, Austin King, \$60.
Holstein cow, Dan Moy, \$49.
2 cows, Sam Harris, \$116.
2 Jersey cows, P. Cogswell, \$63 and \$59.
Red cow, Charles Lewis, \$100.
Jersey cow, J. J. Mays, \$70.
Black cow, J. J. Mays, \$48.
Jersey cow, Edward Newman, \$76.
Jersey cow, Edward Nunes, \$61.
Jersey cow, R. R. Stevenson, \$67.

Riggs Hog Shippers
Among those whose hogs brought high prices the past week in St. Louis were Luther and Burl Hornbeck of Riggs. They shipped a double-deck load, about 90 hogs which brought \$12.60. So far as is known W. E. McCullough of Riggs has secured the highest price reported as being secured by any local shipper. As previously mentioned he had hogs which averaged 281 pounds in St. Louis and which sold at \$12.65 per cwt. The same day R. F. Allan shipped 82 hogs, averaging 214, which sold at \$12.60.

William Gordon and Ed Morris, both of Merritt were hog shippers to the National Stock Yards Thursday.

Paul and Lawrence Gillham of Riggs expect to leave the latter part of this month for Wyndmere, North Dakota, where they will farm a half section of land owned by their uncle W. W. Gillham of this city.

Land Brought Good Price
The 200 acre farm belonging to Mrs. Mayzie Zachary Adams was sold at auction at the south door of the court house Saturday afternoon. The purchaser was O. F. Conklin and he bid \$292 an acre for the land. Capt. J. E. Wright and C. Justus Wright were the auctioneers and Carl Weber served as clerk. The land was first offered in tracts and the bid of Mr. Conklin for 89 acres was \$1500. On another 80 acres he offered \$1500 and when the 100 acres was offered as a whole his bid was \$1950.

A 40 acre tract was knocked off to Scott B. Green at \$150 an acre. Then the entire farm was put up and with several possible purchasers bidding, the property was sold to Mr. Conklin at \$292. The land formerly belonged to the estate of the late James R. Mathews and is located just south of Diamond Grove cemetery. The price is considered quite satisfactory as part of the land is of excellent quality and part is not quite so good.

Few Fat Hogs in County
J. E. Osborne of Murrayville, who is an extensive stock raiser and who each year makes frequent shipments of both hogs and cattle, said yesterday that times are somewhat quiet among shippers. Mr. Osborne's estimate is that not more than 3 per cent of the fat hogs raised in this community are now in the hands of the farmers. When hogs got to the 10c mark most of the farmers believed the limit was reached, and further, because of the high price of corn, they thought it advisable to ship. As a result only a comparatively few are in position to realize on the present "war prices" quoted for hogs.

Feeding Four Hundred Hogs
Frank E. Drury of the Orleans neighborhood has about 400 head of hogs now on feed, all of them to go to market sometime between now and the first of April if conditions remain favorable. Mr. Drury expects to ship two carloads of the coming week and will make other shipments from time to time as conditions justify. Usually Mr. Drury sends his hogs to the Buffalo or Indianapolis market and his experience has been satisfactory at these points. When hogs touched the high market of \$12.60 in Chicago the past week they were \$13.25 to \$13.50 in Buffalo

Enquirer, writes: "For three years I was troubled with bronchial affections



was hoarse and sometimes could hardly speak louder than a whisper. Had to entirely give up singing, and coughed constantly from sore throat day and night. I took Foley's Honey and Tar and got relief. This spring the trouble arose again. I bought a bottle, took five doses, and have the remainder in the bottle on my desk now, to take if another attack develops. It is great for bronchial colds and coughs.

— Every user is a friend.

J. A. O'Leary

and about the \$13 mark at Indianapolis. There is a difference in the shipping cost from this vicinity to both Indianapolis and Buffalo and shrinkage must be taken into account, but even after both of these points have been considered the market in Buffalo and Indianapolis was higher than in Chicago or St. Louis.

Mr. Hembrough's Feeding Plan

Edward R. Hembrough is feeding 60 head of cattle at his farm about six miles southeast of Jacksonville. Two carloads of these cattle were purchased last November and the remainder a week since. The cattle now weigh about 900 pounds. In making the purchase Mr. Hembrough endeavored to buy cattle of fair quality and not too thin. The plan of feeding he follows is to give cattle all the roughness they can eat at this season of the year but not a great deal of corn. So far he has fed them stalks, hay, silage, and shock corn, and when spring weather comes will put them on grass.

His plan with 50 or 60 head will be to give a moderate amount of corn when they are on grass and market them in June. The others will be kept until fall and possibly marketed without having been fed any corn except for a few days' finishing. This will depend a good deal upon the market conditions which happen to obtain in the late summer months. Mr. Hembrough said Saturday that cattle of the same quality are now \$1.00 to \$1.25 per cwt. higher than was true in November when he purchased two carloads. He is a careful feeder and in order to have an understanding of what he is doing he weighs the cattle each month and then charges up against them the amount of food consumed. In this way he keeps accurate line on the business and knows just what his cattle have cost him when the time for marketing comes.

With the cattle now are 60 or 70 head of hogs weighing from 125 to 140 pounds. As the cattle are not getting a great deal of corn it is not possible to feed a large number of hogs from the wastage. Mr. Hembrough is a thoro believer in the use of the silo in feeding. In fact he is a pioneer among the silo owners in Morgan county and erected the first silo around here. There were several square silos or sheds in use before he started the plan, but twelve years ago when he erected his round silo from staves it was the first one in the county.

COURT ORDER AGAINST
WATER PIPE REMOVAL

Injunction Issued by Judge Jones Restrains Chicago Firm from Taking Out Pipe Formerly Owned by Water Company.

Saturday afternoon J. O. Priest, attorney for Road District No. 1, was granted an injunction by Judge Norman Jones against Edward Harris and the Chicago House Wrecking company of Chicago. The injunction was to restrain the company from removing the pipe of the old Jacksonville Waterworks company between Markham and Neeleys.

Some time ago Joseph Reisenman acting for the bond holders of the Jacksonville Water Works company sold the pipe line between Jacksonville and Bluffs to Edward Harris. Mr. Harris in turn let the contract to the Chicago House Wrecking company to remove the pipe. A part of the pipe has been removed. Most of the line between Markham and Neeleys is laid in the public highway. The farmers in the vicinity are opposed to its removal at this season of the year, because of the bad condition in which it would put the roads, hence the injunction.

Judge Jones was in the city Saturday enroute to his home in Carrollton from Springfield where he is holding court. Mr. Priest of his coming and made arrangements for the hearing between trains, Monday being a holiday it is probable that the papers will not be served until Tuesday.

PROBATE COURT

In the estate of John L. Behler, the inventory filed was approved. This document shows that the decedent owned about 100 acres of land in the vicinity of Concord, which has been appraised at \$16,600. The decedent also had mortgages to the value of \$7,500.

In the estate of George Austif, petition for the expenditure of money for the support of the widow was allowed.

In the guardianship of Robinson E. Strawn, report was approved.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Phil Grant to James McBride, pt. east side lot 19 Bibb's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

Frank Patterson to Helena McCubbin, east half northwest quarter 10-16-9, \$9,500.

Milton Rohrer by master in chancery, to O. A. and W. H. Rohrer, east half northwest quarter and west half northeast quarter 35-13-6, \$34,000.

F. J. Henderson to W. H. Petefish, east half southwest quarter 9-16-10, \$1.

Alvin McDonald to Emma G. Smith, northwest quarter 11-6-12, \$1.

Eliza E. Cruzan to B. K. Cruzan, lots 26 and 27 Reid & Capps' addition to Jacksonville, \$400.

COURT HOUSE WILL CLOSE

On account of Monday being a legal holiday all offices in the court house will be closed.

LICENSED TO MARRY

Arthur L. Hull, Jacksonville; Elsie Estelle McCarty, Jacksonville. George H. Nunn, Brazelton, Kans.; Laura Bennett, Mercedosa.

MISS HATFIELD'S FUNERAL

The remains of Miss Yetta Hatfield who died in Springfield recently will be taken to Concord today for interment. It is understood there will be no services in Concord.

CHURCH SERVICES

Westminster church, Edward B. Landis, pastor. The Sunday school will meet at 9:30. W. J. Brady is the superintendent. The school was recently reorganized for the year and all officers and teachers cordially invite a generous co-operation. In the morning worship the church will fittingly observe what is termed Vocation day, the pastor using as his theme for sermon "Choosing a Profession." All young people and students in the schools of the city are cordially invited to this service.

The evening subject is "Alaska," a stereoscopic lecture. A splendid series of pictures on this great northern country. A welcome to all services.

Northminster Presbyterian church—The pastor has returned and will be in his pulpit both morning and evening. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., morning subject, "Zion's Travelers." Evening subject, "Christ's Unchanging Love to His People." The missionary society will meet Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Mendon's Sunday school class will give an extraordinary musical social Feb. 22. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Ernest Fernandes, superintendent. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night.

McCabe M. E. church, M. Luther Mackay, pastor—Services morning and evening. The pastor will preach at the morning service from the subject, "Christ's Mission." Sunday school, 2:45 p. m., Mrs. E. H. Good, Supt. A lively, fast growing school. E. L. 7:00 p. m. At 8:00 p. m. the following program will be rendered in honor of Abraham Lincoln: Voluntary—C. B. Nashby. Song—"Battle Hymn of the Republic." Prayer—Mrs. E. U. Coen. Song—"National Hymn." "Emancipation Proclamation"—Mrs. L. Meadows.

Violin solo—Imogene Mackay, accompanist Charlene Mackay. Paper, "Life of Lincoln"—Mrs. B. Hayward.

Vocal solo, "How Can I Leave Thee"—Mrs. N. Taylor. Poem—"Lincoln"—Serena Herman. Selection by the "Silver Bell" Quartette—D. Herman, P. Herman, Mayme Mackay, Martha Clark. Violin solo—Mr. P. Dealy, accompanist Mrs. Pearl Moore. Gettysburg Address—Mrs. G. Brinkman. Selection by the "Silver Bell" Quartette.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church, P. B. Madden, minister—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Dr. E. M. Ruhl will address the Auditorium class. Public worship, 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Mr. Madden will speak at both services. Mission study class, 5:00 p. m., Miss Lulu D. Hay, teacher. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m., Miss Neville will speak on the "Work that Lincoln Began." Official board, 7:30 p. m., Monday. Preparatory to the series of special evangelism that will begin next Sunday, cottage prayer meetings will be held Thursday and Friday evenings. Plans and leaders announced later. Special music by the choir. A cordial welcome for all.

First Church of Christ Scientist—Regular services are held in Odd Fellow's Temple, East State street on Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Spirit." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. The reading room is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. in room 507 Ayers' Bank Bldg. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

Trinity Episcopal church—Sexagesima Sunday. Holy communion at 7:30. Sunday school, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:45. The Rector asks the congregation to be present, so far as possible, he has important announcements to make. J. F. Langton, Rector.

Congregational church—Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Brotherhood Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:45. Evening worship at 7:30. In the morning the pastor will speak upon "Abraham Lincoln." In the evening upon "Companionship."

First Baptist church, A. A. Todd, pastor—Bible school, 9:30 a. m., Carl Weber, Supt. The pastor will speak at the 10:45 a. m. service on "God's Second Call" or the Church's Relation to Foreign Missions. All members are urged to attend this service. Evening sermon, 7:45 on the theme: "God's Abundant Pardon." B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Christian Confession." Mid week service Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m. Topic, "Venturing with Christ." Services at Baptist chapel Sunday at 2:30 p. m. and Friday, 7:30 p. m.

Brooklyn: W. W. Theobald, pastor—There will be services in both morning and evening. The subject at 10:45 a. m. will be "The Supremacy of Love" and at 7:30 p. m. "The Mission of Jesus." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. The Mission Study class will meet at 5 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all services.

Central Christian Church, M. L. Pontius, Minister—Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Six departments in session with classes in all departments. C. L. Depew, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. Theme of the sermon, "Truth." Evening service at 7:30. Sermon subject, "Decision." Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Wehl, Robert Boyd and C. S. Ratcliffe will sing at both services. At the morning service the solo by Mr. Ratcliffe will have a violin obligato by Byron Carpenter. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Leader, Miss Eleanor Thompson. Intermediate Endeavor at the same hour led by Frances Massey and Lucille Hunter. A cordial invitation is extended to all not wor-

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Centenary M. E. church, E. L. Fletcher, minister—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Mr. A. C. Metcalf, Supt. A class for every one. A fine orchestra and plenty of life. Morning worship, 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Seeking Some Thing Better." Junior Epworth League, 2:30 p. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m., Mr. John Johnson, leader. Special music and a bright attractive program. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. You will always find a cordial welcome and a home like atmosphere at any of the above services.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church, College and South East streets, Rev. J. G. Kupper, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Public worship in German at 10:30 a. m. At 7:30 p. m. a stereoscopic lecture will be given in English on "The Reformation." All are most cordially welcome. The Luther Whistler Circle will meet Thursday evening.

State Street Presbyterian, Rev. L. B. Wilson, pastor—Sunday morning service at 10:45. Sermon theme will be on education, to which all college students are especially invited. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Men and women Bible classes, also classes for all other ages. T. M. Tomlinson, superintendent. Evening service at 7:30, preaching by the pastor. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. A general welcome is extended to everybody old and young, to all the services of this church.

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PRIVATE ART MUSEUM TO BE COSTLY STRUCTURE

St. Louis Resident Plans Building for Housing of Fine Collection of Paintings—Some of Furnishings Date from Thirteenth Century.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 7.—Breckinridge Long, Third Assistant Secretary of State, expects to have completed within a few weeks a private art museum, adjoining his residence here which bids fair to attain the distinction of being one of the most beautiful room structures in the country.

Without including furnishing, tapestries and paintings and counting only its mural decorations, the museum, which is 70 feet long, 30 feet wide and 24 feet high, is estimated to have cost \$200,000.

At the entrance to the loggia is a marble fountain, which was carved by Paul Manship. North of the fountain is the entrance to the museum, the doors of which are fine specimens of Italian wood carving of the fifteenth century. The antique idea is carried out by swinging the doors on hinges instead of hinges.

The master hues of the decorations are gold and scarlet, painted in mosaic like designs. Intertwining the pictures, runs a garland of fruit and beneath them, all around the room is a frieze of Assyrian bulls. The walls are to be hung with green tapestries, shot with threads of gold. The place of honor on the north wall is given to a section of the original tomb carved in marble in the fifteenth century by Antonio Piccolomini, Duke of Amalfi. The Piccolomini tomb, until recently was preserved in the church of S. Maria del Monte at Naples, and was acquired for the Long museum at a cost of \$30,000. Its chief figures are a group of angels, carved in relief.

Conspicuous among the furnishings are to be a great Umbrian walnut table dating from the thirteenth century, and several companion throne chairs. These were purchased at the sale of the furnishings of the Davanzati Palace in Florence, held in New York. On the floor will be strewn historic rugs from the same collection.

The museum was planned as a home for the collection of paintings owned by Mr. and Mrs. Long which include two Rembrandts, a Corot and a Turner. Most of these paintings at present are in the St. Louis Art Museum, but two of them, "Rembrandt's Portrait of his Wife," and "The Setting Sun," considered one of the finest works of George Innes, are on exhibition in Cleveland.

The other paintings in the collections are: "Woman and Dog" and "Fontainebleau Forest," by Diaz; "The Callin," by Clays; "Moonlight" by the elder Ryder; "The Quail," by Meunier; "On the Beach," Bloomers; "Olive Trees at Corfu," Sargent; "The Brook," Rousseau; "On the Wapath," Wimar; "In the Village," L'Hermite; "Effet du Matin," Corot; "Sheep Pen," Jacques; "Saskia vs Minerva," Rembrandt; "Diverney," Monet; "Cazin's Country," Pournier; "Little Sister," Corolla; "Geckle," Millet; "Norman Castle," Turner; "Garden Scene," Hopkinson Smith, and "Sleep," Dangerfield.

In addition Mrs. Long now has on exhibition at the art museum a collection of antique Chinese Snuff bottles, made of jade, agate, ivory, porcelain, gold and glass. These will find a home in the private museum.

AUTO NOTES

The good roads attracted a good many auto owners to the city yesterday and a few arrivals are noted.

Luther Crawford of Pisgah precinct came to the city in his Ford car.

W. N. Bobbitt of Chapin drove to the city with his family yesterday in his Ford car.

O. L. Crum of Litterberry was a city arrival yesterday coming in his Ford car.

Reuel Crum of the vicinity of Litterberry made a trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Murray of Winchester traveled to the city yesterday in their Ford car.

Raymond Funk chauffeur, his mother, Mrs. Judge Funk, Miss Kate Estis and Mrs. Sappington all rode to the city yesterday from Winchester in Mrs. Sappington's Ford car.

John Stevenson of the region of the Point made a trip to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hembrough of Asbury neighborhood rode to the city yesterday in their Ford car.

Arthur Acom of Joy Prairie brought his family to town yesterday in his Ford car.

Elmer Coultas and family of Scott county made a trip to the city yesterday in their Cadillac car.

Howard Wilcox of Alexander traveled to the city yesterday in his Studebaker car.

Albert E. Curry rode up to the city yesterday from Pisgah in his Oldsmobile car.

Graves Brothers of west part of the county arrived in the city yesterday in their McFarlane 6 car.

George Beekman drove to the city from Pisgah precinct yesterday in his Chevrolet car.

Howard Joy of Chapin was a caller on city people yesterday coming in his Studebaker car.

Charles Strawn of the east part of the county traveled to the city yesterday in his Oldsmobile car.

John Hunter of the north part of the county came to the city yesterday in his Hupmobile car.

C. W. Martin of the vicinity of Litterberry came down to the city yesterday in his White gas car.

Lester Hart of the northeast part of the county drove to the city yesterday in his Jeffery car.

J. B. Corrington living north of Alexander made a trip to the city yesterday in his White gas car.

Robert Coates of the vicinity of Lynnville traveled to the city yesterday in his Hudson 6 car.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Shepherd and Miss Alice Matthews came up to the

city from Woodson yesterday in Mr. Sheppard's Dodge car.

J. L. Lukeman of Franklin precinct traveled to the city yesterday in his Oakland car.

David Henderson of Arcadia traveled to the city yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Newton Flynn of the vicinity of Shiloh was a city arrival yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Fred Henderson of the vicinity of Arcadia made a trip to the city yesterday in his Maxwell car.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lukeman of Franklin rode to the city yesterday in their Studebaker car.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Doyle, Mrs. Harry Mader came up to the city yesterday from Winchester in Mr. Doyle's Ford car.

E. T. Sample of Pisgah arrived in the city yesterday in his Ford car.

W. H. Mosely of Pisgah precinct made a trip to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

Benj. Christman and son Allen came up to the city yesterday from near Merritt in their Ford car.

Al Jewsbury of Markham precinct made a business trip to the city yesterday in his Oakland car.

J. E. Young of the east part of the county came to town yesterday in his Ford car.

George Peak and Claude rode up from Winchester yesterday in Mrs. Peak's Ford runabout.

J. W. Bell of Pisgah motored to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

\$22.50 NEW SPRING SAMPLE SUITS \$15.00.

THE EMPORIUM.

CAMPAIGN OF PERSONAL EVANGELISM

with the religious census of the city taken next Tuesday, all the Evangelical pastors of Jacksonville will be ready to launch the campaign of personal evangelism Sunday, Feb. 18th. The campaign in brief is this: Each pastor will address his congregation Sunday morning, Feb. 18, on the campaign of personal evangelism explaining the movement, and enlisting his members as personal workers. On Feb. 25th there will be a friendly exchange of pulpits, the visiting pastors also preaching on the campaign. During March each pastor will preach each Sunday morning on "Soul Winning," leading his people into the most blessed of all fields of labor. From April 1 to 8, the churches will conduct simultaneous revival services, each pastor being his own evangelist. Let all churches make this campaign a subject of prayer. Stand by your pastor and emphasize the church life of the community.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH MEETING

Attention is again called to the business meeting at the Congregational church immediately after services this a. m. A full attendance is especially desired that there may be a full expression regarding the proposed union revival services next fall.

Willard W. C. T. U. Notes

Our peerless "House of Clay" has fallen by the way. And yet o'er all the land thy spirit, pure and grand, still guideth to the Dawn, and the Temperance Tide sweeps on.

Thy golden thread of life, unbroken in Earth's strife Immortal is. From Heaven thy help to us is given, Pointing to work undone. And the Temperance Tide sweeps on.

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We know that "Right is might," we will conquer in this fight. Right shall the scepter sway. By faith we see the day When saloons no more shall yawn, for the Temperance Tide sweeps on.

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A most delightful social session of the Willard Union was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. A. S. Nebold, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 7. There were twenty two ladies present. The following memorial program was given in honor of Miss Frances Willard:

Solo, "We'll Make the Nation Dry."

Scripture reading: Crusader's Psalm 146—Mrs. Gibbs.

Lord's Prayer in Concert.

Solo, "The Summer Wind"—Miss Breitwiser.

"Transfigured," reading by Mrs. Gibbs.

Solo, "My Shadow"—Miss Breitwiser.

"Our Peerless Leader," Life Sketch—Mrs. Brubaker.

Solo, "A Memory"—Miss Breitwiser.

"An Angel's Visit," reading by Mrs. Smith.

Song, "White Ribbon Rally Song," Round Table, subject, "Frances Willard"—Mrs. Murdock.

The refreshment committee "did themselves proud" as all can testify who enjoyed their offering, during the pleasant and profitable social hour which followed. Two new names were added to our membership.

Billy Bryan's present policy is Peace, Prohibition and Equal Suffrage.

"The Pulse of Prohibition, The 'Dry' petition at Springfield, Ill., has reached 7,000 names. Petition is filed at Pana by 'Drys' to oust 21 saloons. Oregon has a 'Bone

Dry" Law. Arkansas has a "Bone Dry" bill in both senate and house.

Liquor, valued at \$1,500, publicly burned at Aberdeen, Wash. This was done on a vacant lot the mayor and Chief of Police superintended the destruction, in the presence of hundreds of citizens.

Nine saloons in Toledo, Ohio, were recently closed thru the activities of Ohio White Ribboners.

United States Senators extol prohibition in their own "Dry" states. Record prosperity tramples on the heels of dry Colorado. Oregon prospers under prohibition. The Temperance Tide is rising in Minnesota. In Moorhead, Minn., the county jail is empty for the first time in 21 years, and a deputy sheriff milks the county cow. Sober Holidays prevailed in prohibition Richmond, Va. The Union Pacific is on the water wagon. San Francisco health officer doesn't drink booze. Ohio newspapers bar all liquor advertisements. Bill for state wide prohibition passes Iowa's senate. White Ribbon work in Massachusetts wins six cities. Wyoming's governor says his people realize that the time has come for Wyoming to "step into line with her 'dry' neighbors." The Canadian government is asked to enact prohibition laws. France bars drink from her war zone. The prophecy of a saloonless nation in 1920 and a saloonless world in 1930, now meets with but mild skepticism.

Brewers urge Chicago saloons to "be good for the good of the business."

A most despairing cry from the liquor traffic is voiced by "Mida's Criterion." "Only eleven more states need adopt prohibition to give the required two thirds to adopt an amendment to the Federal Constitution, and then—curtain!"

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- one sales expense

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As a result we are producing cars of exceptional quality—and marketing them at unusually low prices.

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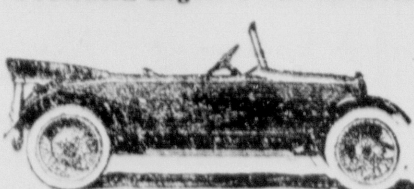
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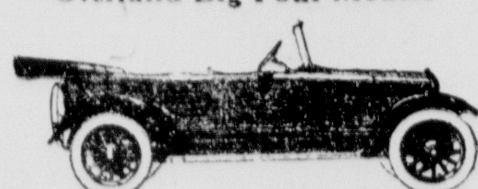
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Overland Light Four Models



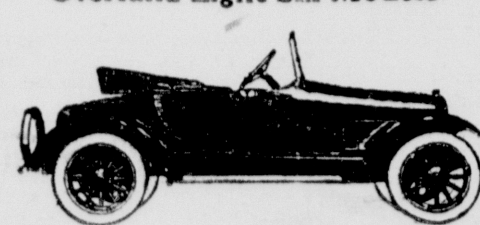
Roadster, 104-in. wheelbase \$650
Touring, 106-in. wheelbase \$665
Sport Model—Country Club—(Illustrated) \$750

Overland Big Four Models



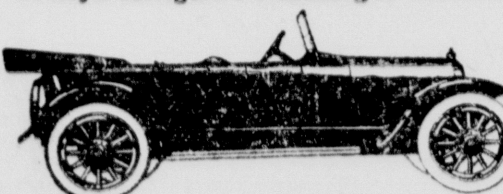
Roadster, 112-in. wheelbase \$835
Touring, 112-in. wheelbase—(Illustrated) \$850
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Overland Light Six Models



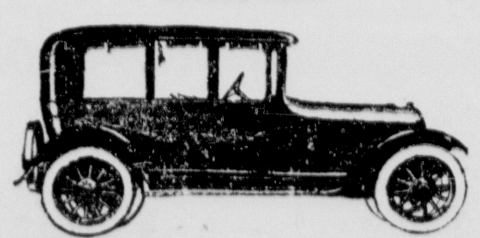
Roadster, 114-in. wheelbase—(Illustrated) . . \$970
Touring, 116-in. wheelbase \$985
(See also Closed Cars)

Willys-Knight 7 Passenger Models



Four Cylinder Touring, 121 in. wheelbase . . \$1285
Light Cylinder, 125-in. wheelbase (Illustrated) \$1950
(See also Closed Cars)

Overland and Willys-Knight Closed Cars



Overland Big Four Coupe, 112-in. wheelbase \$1250
Overland Big Four Sedan, 112-in. wheelbase \$1450
Overland Light Six Coupe, 116-in. wheelbase \$1385
Overland Light Six Sedan, 116-in. wheelbase \$1585
(Illustrated)
Willys-Knight Four Coupe, 114-in. wheelbase \$1650
Willys-Knight Four Sedan, 121-in. wheelbase \$1950
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Our Native Birds And Their Ways

(By a Local Student of Birds.)

(Part 4)

Birds feed early in the morning. On bright, cold mornings the cardinal, titmouse, chickadee and woodpeckers are heard soon after day-break. Feeding is continued during the day at irregular intervals. At times no birds will be seen; again many kinds will be feeding together. The juncos, chickadees and English sparrows are very friendly and often feed together. The woodpeckers, flickers, brown creepers and nuthatches associate and frequent the same places.

Information as to birds is found in the following Farmer's Bulletins issued by and obtainable free of the United States Department of Agriculture, 513. Fifty Common Birds of Farm and Orchard, 430. Some Common Birds Useful to the Farmer, 455. Our Grosbeaks and their Value to Agriculture, 504. Food of Some Well-Known Birds, 621. How to Attract Birds, 609. Bird Houses and How to Build Them, 493. The English Sparrow as a Pest.

For the identification of birds, Red's Guides, with colored illustrations, pocket size and bound in limp leather, are handy, inexpensive and practical and may be had of local bookstores. Many other bird guides are to be had. Your public library is always ready to supply you with the best books on birds.

It is a mid-January morning. Looking from a south window into the ice-bound, snow-bound garden all is still except the birds.

Near the window stands a food hopper with its hemp and sunflower seed and cracked corn provided for the cardinals. It has perches in every direction and is set under a mock-orange brought from the Southland, the original home of the cardinal. A male cardinal flies into the bush. He is a splendid sight in brilliant cardinal plumage and has a conspicuous crest and a bright red bill. He is hunting food, but is very cautious. After carefully surveying his surroundings, he flies to the hopper and again he deliberately examines everything near him. Having satisfied himself of his safety he enters the food hopper and under its glass top he finds hemp seed to which he is most partial. After scrutinizing the interior of the hopper, he picks up a seed, looks around to see that he is safe, and, after rolling the seed around in his bill several times, he swallows it. It takes him some time to satisfy his hunger for he is ever slow and careful. When he leaves the hopper he calls his mate. She answers and comes. From her brownish-yellow plumage, one would hardly pick her for the mate of the brilliant male cardinal were it not for her bright red bill and the reddish tinge on her crest, wings, tail and breast. Both enter the hopper and enjoy an extended meal. Later in the day when the English sparrows come, one or two of them will likely join the cardinals for both of these birds love to sit under the glass-topped hopper and both of them hurry away when the blue jay comes.

The cardinal is a grosbeak, belongs to the Finch family and is known also as the redbird, the crested redbird, the Virginia redbird and the Kentucky cardinal. The cardinals are natives of the Southeast United States and have followed man into Illinois. Here they breed and winter, frequenting our gardens and open woods. They become quite tame and fly into our porches and arbors but usually keep at a distance from man. They fly to the tops of the tallest trees, fit among the low bushes and nest in shrubs especially evergreens. The cardinal's call is a low "chip." Its loud clear warble has been interpreted as "cheo-cheo-cheo." It feeds upon seeds, berries, fruits and some insects, including locusts, Colorado potato beetles, codling moths, and other pests and in its habits is entirely harmless. In winter it eats hemp and other seeds, cracked corn, bread crumbs and nut meats.

On a branch of the apple tree sits a blue jay. He has just alighted with something in his bill which he tries to break by hammering it on the hard wood. The well known blue jay, one of our most beautiful birds, so common about our homes, is active, cunning, mischievous, unsocial and loves to tantalize other birds by mimicking their notes and destroying their eggs and young. Blue jays are neutral in their food habits. Their food is 75% vegetable matter made up of most wild fruit, waste grain, and corn and 25% animal, mostly noxious insects, grasshoppers and snails. They eat some mice and occasionally a hen's egg. Their habit of eating the eggs and young of other birds is not so widespread as is usually supposed. The blue jay is not so bad as he is painted, still it is not best to allow too many of them about the premises. They breed and winter here. The blue jay eats everything set out for other birds and will carry off much more than he can eat. He particularly delights in teasing other birds and taking from them anything he can scare them into abandoning.

Suddenly the blue jay discovers a downy woodpecker feeding from a suet basket on the upright trunk of the tree and pounces down upon him. The downy escapes and flies to a large branch of the tree and climbs upward searching all the time for insects-bugging the tree. Soon he is joined by several of his kind and all of them creep around and up the branches until a hairy woodpecker lights near one of them and makes a vicious attempt to peck it, when all the downies fly into another tree.

The hairy woodpecker and the downy woodpecker are very similar in size. The hairy is about nine inches long while the downy is about six. Both are black and white above and white beneath with barred black and white wings. The outer feathers of their tails are whitish and the middle ones black. The males of both species have a red patch or band on the back of their necks while the females show no red. The call of the downy is a subdued "peenk" or a rapid series of such calls. The call of the hairy is a sharp, loudly and sometimes harsh "peenk." The call of the hairy is sometimes mistaken by the unaccustomed ear for the call of the first robin. Both drum occasionally on dead branches and sometimes on the wood of buildings. Both winter and breed here. They are similar in their habits, altho the downy is more sociable and often seen than its larger relative. Both frequent the town in winter and summer. Their bills are hammering tools with which they bore and excavate in tree trunks and limbs for insects and nesting places. They seldom bore in live wood. The hairy woodpecker is sometimes erroneously called the sapsucker. Both the hairy and downy nest in holes in trees. Their food is mostly insect destructive of trees, but both eat some seeds, nuts and fruits, and the hairy is fond of the berries of the poison ivy. Woodpeckers are the conservators of our trees and seldom injure any tree except it be infested with insects. Suet and meat parings attract them in winter.

A flicker at the foot of the apple tree is picking up from the snow the bits of suet which are dropping from the suet basket above him where the hairy woodpecker is breakfasting. Occasionally the flicker tries to scratch the snow from the ground and uncover ants. He spends much time on the suet baskets and in boring into the frozen, falling apples. The flicker, one of the woodpeckers, is known by a great many local names including yellowhammer yellow-shafted woodpecker, high-hole and golden-winged woodpecker. Its call is varied—sometimes a harsh, loud, rapid "wick-wick-wick-wick" and sometimes a mellow musical "Cuh-cuh-cuh-cuh." It breeds and winters here but is much more common in summer than in winter. It frequents tall, scattered trees and pastures in the open country and is more than in the forests and spends much time on our lawns, being the only woodpecker seen often on the ground. It nests in cavities in trees and often bores several holes at any distance from the ground. Sometimes flickers bore out nests in wood buildings and columns and occasionally they nest in boxes. Like the house wrens, flickers often prepare several nests before finally deciding where they will raise their family. The flicker's food is largely made up of insects such as ground ants, wood-boring ants, chinch bugs, etc. It eats some wild fruits and is entirely beneficial in its food habits. It eats more ants than any other bird and the time it spends on the ground is occupied in searching for them. Over five thousand ants and ants' eggs were found in the crop of one flicker. The crops of two others disclosed over three thousand each and many crops examined showed no content other than ants. To attract flickers in winter use suet, meat trimmings, etc. (To be continued.)

MANCHESTER
Mrs. John Akers returned to her home Friday after spending several days in Murrayville owing to the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Mary Rea.

Mrs. Rollie Rilling of Chicago was called to her home Thursday by the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Dore. Mrs. Dore's health has been failing for some time and no hope is given for her recovery.

Carrie Curtis of Jacksonville visited with her mother, Mrs. Ella Curtis and other relatives Friday.

Mrs. John Wilson of Glasgow spent several days this week with her mother, Mrs. Martha Stov.

Mrs. Sarah Greenwalt went to Murrayville Thursday to assist in the care of her father, Terry Neal. Mr. Neal suffered a paralytic stroke a few weeks ago and continues to gradually grow weaker.

Revival meetings are in progress at the Baptist church. Rev. M. R. Dickson, the regular pastor is being

Andre and Andre's Twenty--First Semi--Annual Sale Second Big Week

TOMORROW opens a new chapter of our 21st SEMI-ANNUAL SALE. Lines that were depleted by heavy buying last week have now been replenished from our enormous warehouse stocks. If you contemplate buying Furniture or Furnishings any time in the near future, you will do well to immediately take advantage of these reductions. The items herein mentioned are but examples of those ready for Monday's brisk selling.

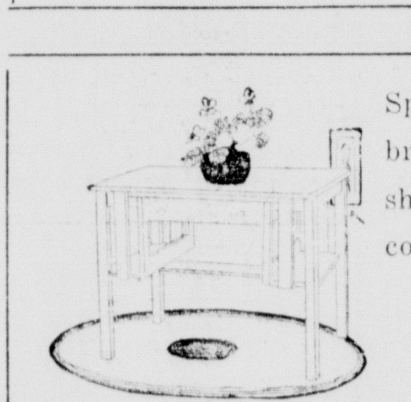
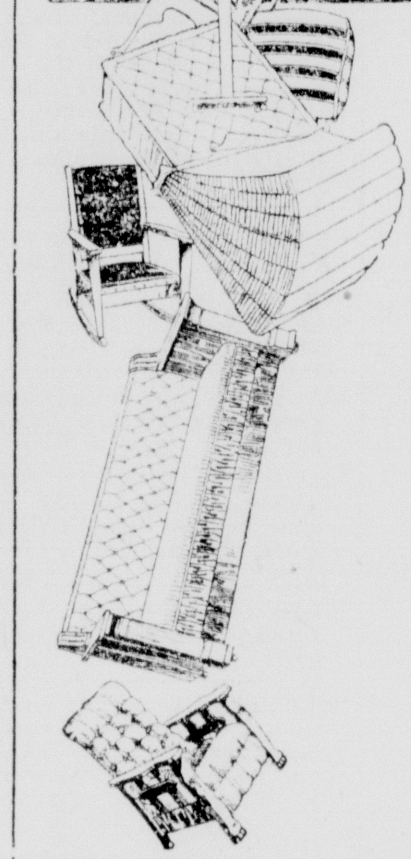
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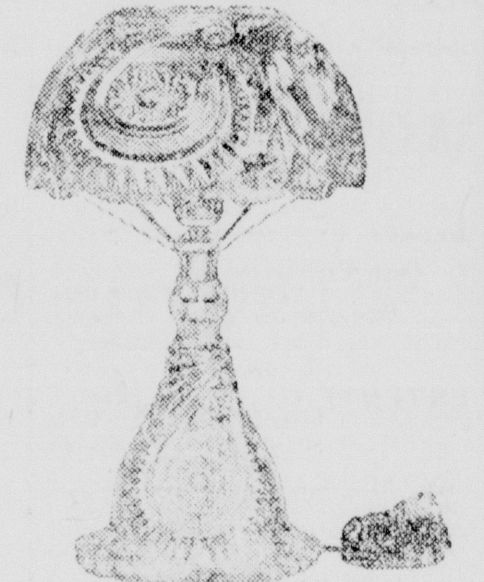
Stools and Tabourets reduced 1-10 to 1-2

\$10.00 45 lb. Felt Mattresses, roll edge, \$7.85

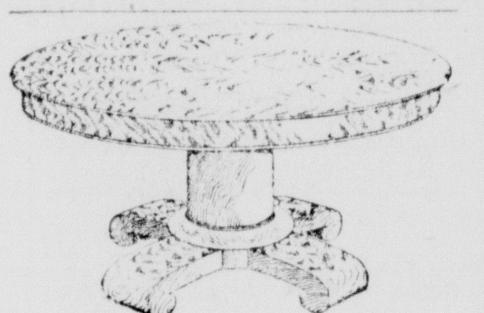
\$45.00 Karpen Day-enport, all finishes, with felt mattresses, \$39.00

\$15.00 G. O. Morris Chairs, green velour cushions, \$7.90

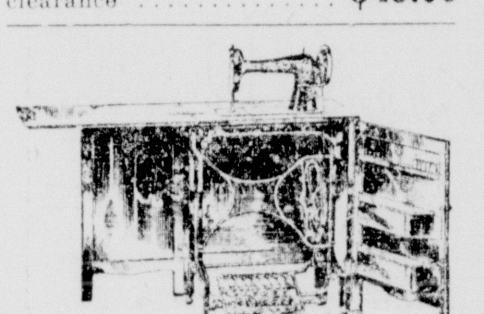
Splendid Wolverine Library Table, 40x26, as shown, fumed finished, convenient magazine rack at ends, \$9.90



Electrolights and Gas Portables reduced. One in Crystal glass as shown, 21st Semi-Annual clearance \$1.00



The greatest attraction in this sale is our dining tables. The above as shown is 60 in. in diameter, all quartered oak top, pedestal and base extends 8 feet, a \$65.00 value—21st Semi-Annual Sale clearance \$45.00



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COUNTY ARRIVALS

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Merritt—Edward Chisman and George Hardwick.
Lynnville—Wiley Todd, Charles Potter.

Murrayville—Felix Gordon, J. K. Cunningham, J. E. Osborne, Bennie Code, Edward Keen, and Bennie Code.

Woodson—William McKean, Edward Forrester, James McCormick, Richard Butler, Howard Rawlings, John Butler, John Wilkinson, William Mortimer, Samuel Henry.

Sinclair—Arthur Swain, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bourne, George Swain, Crit Haining, Thos. Fox, E. E. Hart, George Wheeler, Walter Wheeler.

Orleans—Job Coates, Clifton Davis, James Dobyns, Ernest Walters, Andrew Harris, Henry Stewart, Clyde Cox, Lloyd Cox.

Asbury—Thos. Hembrough, Charles Taylor, John Hembrough, Riggsby—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen, Arch McKinnis.

Arcadia—J. J. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutson, John Kennedy, Antioch—Mr. and Mrs. Scott B. Green, Mr. and Mrs. William Baxter, Carl West and wife.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES

The Reverend Roy P. Smith and the Reverend Adolph P. Higley gave some fine addresses to the students during the week of prayer. Special services were held every morning at the regular chapel hour, and every evening in the Jones building.

Y. M. C. A., assisted in the meetings and delighted the students with his songs.

Professor J. G. Ames was recently elected a member of the American Association of University Professors. President Rammelkamp will leave for the East Sunday evening to attend the banquet which is to be given by the Illinois College alumni of New York and vicinity.

The Reverend George C. Leighton, '92, and E. E. Drury, '89, were campus visitors on Friday. Mr. Leighton's son Robert will enter Whipple Academy on Monday.

The Reverend C. A. Carriel, '06 gave an inspiring address to the students on Monday morning at the chapel hour.

Mr. Ralph Himstedt, law student at the Northwestern University, was the guest of friends over the week end.

Miss Clem Millin, a student at Eureka college, was the guest of Miss Clara Belle Yehling, at Academy Hall on Friday and Saturday.

Five volumes of religious books, have been given to the College Library by the author, William C. Comstock.

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